

## THE WEATHER

Fair and cooler tonight and  
Thursday; fresh southwest to  
west winds.

## THE LOWELL SUN

6  
O'CLOCK

ESTABLISHED 1878

LOWELL MASS. WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 29 1920

PRICE TWO CENTS

## SWIG TO EXPOSE HUGE BANK PLOT

PROCEEDS WITH  
CHARTER PROBE

Commission Hears Salmon,  
Marchand and Their Subor-  
dinate Officials

Water Department to be Self-  
Supporting in Two Years,  
Salmon Says

Marchand Favors Present  
Charter — Recommenda-  
tions Made

The water department will be on a self-sustaining basis in fact as well as theory within two years, despite a present deficit of \$74,000, according to a prediction made by Commissioner John E. Salmon, head of the department, at the commission's meeting last evening.

The wiping out of loans which have been costing the department \$66,000 in interest annually, and increased revenue as a result of a recent advance in water rates were given as the two salient reasons for the commissioner's expectations.

When asked to make recommendations, Mr. Salmon said that he would advocate the right of the head of the

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RUNS ON BANKS  
DUE TO PLOT

Charge Made by Simon Swig  
of Tremont Trust Co., Af-  
ter Conferring With Allen

Will "Expose One of Great-  
est Plots Known in Bank-  
ing History of U. S."

BOSTON, Sept. 29.—The runs on local banks within the past few days, as a result of which two have been closed and two others have temporarily suspended payments in their savings departments, was due to a plot, Simon Swig, vice president of the Tremont Trust company, charged in a statement given out today after an interview with Bank Commissioner Allen.

To Expose Gigantic Plot

"It is a case of business rivalry, of lion eat lion," he asserted, and he announced his intention in a day or two to expose publicly "one of the greatest plots known in the banking history of the United States." In this exposure he said, a director of the Fidelity Trust company, which was closed yesterday would join with him. The banker expressed appreciations of many courtesies which he said he and his institution had received from Commissioner Allen and said the commissioner had acted throughout with "absolute fairness."

Swig Collapsed.

Mr. Swig collapsed during his interview with the bank commissioner and a physician was sent for, but the banker revived before he arrived. He had gone to the state house to discuss with the commissioner the most effective means of quieting the general banking situation which has been upset both on the side of the bankers and of the public by a series of bank closings and suspensions of payments and runs on other institutions which were able to weather the flurry.

NEW YORK CLEARINGS  
NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—Exchanges, \$742,335,379; balances, \$61,313,959.

THE EASIEST TIME  
The easiest time to save is  
RIGHT NOW. The farther you go  
along, the harder it becomes. If  
you save today, it will be easier  
tomorrow. Begin that Savings  
Account Today.

INTEREST BEGINS OCT. 2

MECHANICS SAVINGS BANK  
INC. 1861  
202 MERRIMACK ST.

HAIR! HAIR! HAIR!  
All sizes and kinds. American  
make; also large quantity of large  
head galvanized roofing nails. Write  
us the sizes you need and we will  
quote prices.  
H. W. MEYER, 192 Dudley St., Bos-  
ton, Mass. Tel. Roxbury 2099

LAWS CANNOT  
BE SUSPENDED

City Must Stand by Accep-  
tance of Civil Service for  
Employees

Department Heads Are Dis-  
satisfied and Would Vote  
to Suspend Law

Despite the fact that three members of the city council have found the workings of the civil service laws a source of almost continual trouble in their departments, the city of Lowell can in no way divorce itself from the provisions of the act which it accepted on Sept. 1, 1914, providing for civil service for municipal laborers.

That is the gist of a statement coming from Col. James H. Carmichael, representative of the civil service commission in Lowell and a member of the city council the year the act was accepted.

"The civil service laws are not onerous or heavy," said Col. Carmichael today when asked what power the municipal council had to suspend them, if it so desired. "They can be lived up to. But one cannot look after his personal friends exclusively and live up to them," he added.

Mr. Carmichael stated very emphatically that the laws cannot be suspended once a city has accepted them. They are in vogue until the state au-

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VIOLATION OF  
LIQUOR LAWS

Ten Lowell Men Charged  
With Violation of National  
Prohibition Laws.

Five Defendants Fined \$100  
Each—Jail Sentence Added  
in One Case

Ten cases involving charges of violation of the national prohibition laws were called before Judge Knight in police court this morning. Three of them were continued, one defendant charged with illegal keeping was discharged because counsel for defense proved that he was not the owner of the premises on which the liquor was kept, and out of five fined \$100 each, three appealed, and another defendant was ordered to pay a fine of \$100 and serve one month in the house of correction. He also appealed.

One feature of the arraignment of liquor violators was the defense made by one lawyer who claimed that the liquor officers were simply preying upon the small store proprietors and that he knew of other large "joints" which were left untouched by the liquor officers much to the comment of the public in general.

Peter Vlahos pleaded not guilty to illegal sale but was found guilty and ordered to pay a fine of \$100 and serve one month in the house of correction.

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Next Friday Interest Begins

Old Lowell  
National Bank  
Is Nearly 100 Years Old.  
It is under the supervision of  
the United States Government.  
Safe Deposit Boxes \$5 a Year

MR. THOMAS E. STANTON'S  
DANCING CLASS  
Will Re-open Thursday  
Eve., Sept. 30, 1920  
At Merrimack Hall  
212 Merrimack Street  
Children's Class in Theory, Technique  
and Creative Teaching.  
4:15 to 6 p. m.  
Adults: Ballroom Dancing 8:15 to  
10:15 p. m.

LOWELL INSTITUTION FOR SAVINGS  
INTEREST BEGINS  
OCTOBER 2

CUT IN STREET  
RAILWAY FARES

To Be Urged by Chamber of  
Commerce Committee at  
Conference

Committee Will Also Re-  
quest Better Service and  
Five Cent Fare

Plans for the presentation of a request for a cut in fares and better service on the street railway by a committee of the chamber of commerce at a joint conference with the home rule committee and the board of trustees of the Eastern Massachusetts tomorrow afternoon were considered at the chamber's rooms today.

The opinion was expressed during the discussion that the street railway lines within the limits of the first fare zone could be operated with more frequent runs, a five cent fare, and show a profit on the physical valuation of the road.

"I believe," said President W. N. Goodell, "that the company should stop taxing the road's city patrons to pay for the running of cars in the rural sections where the lines do not pay."

"It is a matter of common observation that the cars are not now patronized as they formerly were. The other night I stood on Chelmsford

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BIG ODD FELLOWS  
PARADE IN HUB

Tens of Thousands Turn Out  
for Closing Feature of  
Annual Convention

Marching Thousands Were  
Reviewed Four Times—  
100 Bands in Line

BOSTON, Sept. 29.—The Odd Fellows of New England, their sister body, the Daughters of Rebekah, and the Patriarchs Militant, the uniformed rank, marched through Boston streets today, tens of thousands strong. The parade

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34 RADICALS ON WAY  
FROM N. Y. TO BOSTON

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—Thirty-four radicals who have been held at Ellis Island for deportation were entrained at 10 o'clock today for Boston, where they will be housed on Deer Island, to relieve congestion at the New York immigration station. Their transfer was made despite their demands that they either be deported or returned to the western cities from which they hailed.

3 DAYS  
Wednesday, Thurs-  
day and Friday

Remain available for Deposits  
of Savings Money in order that  
such Deposits may begin earn-  
ing interest at once i. e. begin  
the First Day of Month. Next  
Dividend Declaration date Oct.  
1st. Next Dividend Payment  
date Oct. 15. Persons accus-  
tomed to visit Bank on Satur-  
days will note that Interest be-  
gins the day before Saturday—  
ON FRIDAY.

MIDDLESEX TRUST CO.  
Every person who by individ-  
ual possession is warranted in  
making a Will, should do so, for  
it is appointed until all men once  
die. That Will should be  
deposited in the Safety Deposit  
Box of the Maker of the Will. A  
Box costs \$5 the year.

Special Classes  
Beginning Oct. 4, for the new  
"CADET" BOYS  
MEMBERSHIP  
Y. M. C. A.  
For boys ten and eleven years.  
Fee Six Dollars Per Year. Reg-  
ister Now.

## Report Plot to Bribe Brooklyn Players.

More Accused Ball Players to Confess.

Cicotte Says Only Three Players Paid.

Indictment of Gamblers Is Expected.

White Sox Players Indicted for "Throwing" 1919 World's Series.

Also Accused of Laying Down in Present Pennant Race—Cicotte

Says Gamblers Double Crossed Players and Only He, Jackson and

Williams Received Money—"Fixed" Players Were to Get \$80,000

—League Presidents and Others to be Called to Testify

CHICAGO, Sept. 29.—Further con-  
fessions by some of the seven White  
Sox players who, with one former play-  
er, were indicted yesterday, in con-  
nection with alleged "throwing" of  
last year's world's series, will be made  
within a day or two, Alfred S. Aus-  
trian, attorney for the club, announced  
today.

It has been rumored that at least  
two of the seven were anxious to sup-  
plement the confessions of Eddie Cic-  
otte and Joe Jackson, with their state-  
ments.

Attempt to Bribe Brooklyn  
NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—Dist. Atty.  
Lewis of Kings county (Brooklyn) an-

nounced today he would start an im-  
mediate investigation of a report that a  
clique of gamblers planned to bribe  
members of the Brooklyn Nationals  
purposely to lose games in the coming  
world's series.

Revenue Department to Act  
WASHINGTON, Sept. 29.—Should an  
investigation disclose that the White  
Sox players who received money for  
"throwing" the 1919 world's series  
failed to make a return to the inter-  
nal revenue bureau on these funds for  
purposes of taxes prosecutions will be  
instituted, it was said today by George  
B. Newton, deputy commissioner of the  
income unit of the bureau.

Intentional evasion of the provisions

of the income tax law is a criminal  
offense, it was pointed out, and is pun-  
ishable by a fine of \$10,000 or impris-  
onment for one year, or both.

Ohio Grand Jury Acts  
CINCINNATI, O., Sept. 29.—As the re-  
sult of Pitcher Eddie Cicotte's con-  
fession that he found bribe money under  
his pillow at a hotel in Cincin-  
nati the night before the opening  
game of the world's series, the Ham-  
ilton county grand jury, summoned to  
assemble Monday, will inquire into the  
circumstances.

To Indict Gamblers  
CHICAGO, Sept. 29.—Indictments  
against five or six gamblers were

considered today by the Cook county  
grand jury investigating "throwing"  
of baseball games, according to Har-  
ley Replogle, assistant state's attor-  
ney in charge of the inquiry. He  
said that Abe Attell, former feather-  
weight champion, and Arnold Roth-  
stein, of New York, were involved in  
testimony presented to the grand  
jury. Attell, it was said, handled the  
money paid the eight White Sox  
players who were indicted yesterday  
for "throwing" the 1919 World  
Series.

More ball players might be in-  
dicted, it was also indicated by Replogle,  
after the grand jury had heard the  
testimony of Presidents Johnson and  
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three cheaper than they were a year  
ago.

Some of the manufacturers, it is  
stated, feel that a considerable por-  
tion of the retail shoe dealers are not  
treating them or the public as fairly as  
they might. It is claimed that the de-  
alers refuse to reduce their prices as a  
means of stimulating purchasing and  
that this is one of the reasons for stag-  
nant manufacturing conditions.

A record is printed in some of the  
Boston newspapers of the shoe buyers  
who are in the city from day to day.  
Under ordinary circumstances this list  
is a lengthy one, for Boston is the  
leading shoe and leather market of  
the world. At the present time there  
are but few names in the lists that are  
being published. This is said to indi-  
cate that the dealers of the country  
as a whole are not making many pur-  
chases of shoes.

Another indication of the dullness of  
business is found in the fact that at  
this time there should be an army of  
shoe salesmen scouring the country  
for trade, but that there is now  
scarcely a salesman out on the road.  
The men were sent out on their ac-  
tual trips awhile ago, but as they  
failed to even earn their expenses  
they were, in most instances, re-  
called.

GASOLINE ON FIRE

The alarm from box 219 at 1:25 o'clock  
this afternoon was for a fire in a can  
of gasoline in the driveway near the  
railroad station. There was no dam-

age.

H. E. McDonald, Sale and Commission Stables

163 WATER ST., LAWRENCE, MASS. TEL. 2215.

Grand Disposal Sale

To Be Sold at Public Auction Thursday, Sept. 30,  
at 10.30 A. M. on the Premises, South  
Street, Tewksbury, Mass.

The T. J. O'Neill farm comprising 100 acres of land, of which about 40  
are under cultivation, 11 room house, all modern conveniences, surrounded  
by beautiful shade trees and lawn, screened in piazza, large hen houses and  
large horse shed. The personal property consists of 15 milk cows, 6 horses,  
200 hens and chickens, 20 pigs, 25 tons of hay, ten acres of blue corn, 4  
acres of potatoes, all fruit on farm; 3 new double harnesses, 2 double dump  
carts, farm wagon and farmings tools of every description; also a good  
paying milk route with farm.

How to reach the farm: Take the Lowell and Reading electric car,  
get off at Foster's corner, 5 minutes' walk to farm.

L. L. HALL, Auctioneer.

Y. W. C. A. Gymnasium Opens Oct. 4th

Classes in ( APPARATUS WORK SPORTS AND BASKET BALL  
and CALISTHENICS AESTHETIC DANCING  
Fall Rally Thursday, Sept. 30, 8 P. M.  
—EVERYONE INVITED—

BIG SALE OF APPLES AT  
FARMERS' FAIR

A lively demand on the part of the  
public for apples was a feature of the  
Farmers' Fair and Exhibit of the  
Middlesex North Agricultural society in  
the Community Service club house  
on Dutton street today. It is doubtful  
if the people of Lowell have ever  
before been afforded an opportunity to  
see such an attractive exhibition of  
the fruit.

The prices being charged for the  
apples seem to be reasonable. The  
farmers have discovered that the most  
satisfactory way of offering the fruit  
for sale to visitors to the fair is in  
baskets of varying sizes which it is  
easy for purchasers to carry home.

The general range of prices is shown  
by the quotations of one grower of  
baskets of porters for 30 cents and Mc-  
Intosh reds for 40 cents each. Each  
basket contains an average of about  
20 handsome apples.

An interesting feature of the fair is  
the floral exhibit of the new Studio  
Gardens of First street, Lowell, and of  
which Will Rounds is the owner. An  
announcement in connection with the  
exhibit is that flower-lovers will be  
welcomed to visit the gardens during  
the season of 1921.

Another exhibit that is attracting  
attention is that of the American Sug-  
ar Refining company showing domino  
syrup and package sugar.

A new feature was added to the ex-  
hibit today in the shape of a showing  
near one of the entrances of washing  
machines and vacuum cleaners.

In some parts of Europe, the spaces  
alongside and between railroad tracks  
are cultivated by the peasants.

RECEPTION TO HENRY  
SULLIVAN POSTPONED

The welcome home and reception  
which was to have been given Henry  
F. Sullivan, the well known local swim-  
mer, this evening upon his return from  
England, has been postponed until to-  
morrow, Thursday evening, owing to  
the inability of Mr. Sullivan to reach  
Lowell before that time.

He is expected to reach the Middle-  
sex station about 7:15 and will be met  
by a delegation of admirers from the  
C.Y.M.L. They will parade with him  
to city hall where he will be formally  
received by members of the city gov-  
ernment and then activities will be  
transferred to the C.Y.M.L. rooms in  
Suffolk street where a banquet will  
be held in recognition of Sullivan's  
persistent and almost successful at-  
tempts to swim the English channel.

The Lowell Five Cent  
Savings Bank

Deposit in a home institution.  
It keeps money in the home  
city. It helps to develop the  
home community. It makes  
loans for home building pos-  
sible. It is working for you  
where you want it to work,  
right at home.

Deposits Placed Upon Interest  
Saturday, October 2nd, at  
The Lowell Five Cent  
Savings Bank

Jas. E. O'Donnell  
ROOM 220, 45 MERRIMACK ST.  
Counsellor at Law

INSURANCE—ALL FORMS  
J. EUGENE MULLIN  
WITH  
WALTER E. GUYETTE  
Real Estate and Insurance  
24 Central Street

DANCING Merrimack  
Garden  
—THURSDAY NIGHT—  
Merrimack Square, Howe Bldg.  
Campbell's Banjo Orchestra

## PEASANTS DRIVEN OUT OF ROYAL ESTATES

LONDON, Sept. 28.—Members of local agricultural societies which occupied property owned by King Victor Emmanuel of Italy near Naples have been driven out by troops. Several peasants were wounded in the fighting incident to their eviction, says a Rome despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Co.

### 2000 Peasants In Seizure

ROME, Sept. 28.—Two thousand peasants took part in the seizure of royal estates near Naples, according to advices received here. They were members of an agricultural co-operative society in the town of Santa Maria, nearby, and as they marched toward the king's property they carried shotguns and sang the "Workmen's Hymn." The property seized was called the "Cardello" and was one of the largest belonging to the royal house.

FOR WORLD PROHIBITION  
AUGUSTA, Me., Sept. 28.—Resolutions pledging support to officers who conscientiously and faithfully enforce all provisions of the liquor prohibition law and the intention to work with increased energy for the coming of world prohibition, were adopted by the Maine Woman's Christian Temperance union today.

Glow worms are most brilliant just before a storm.

In China the bride-elect sends her future husband his wedding dress.

**WILLIAM ODDIE**  
Successor to  
**C. B. PICKARD**  
LOCAL AND LONG DISTANCE  
**TRUCKING**  
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Tels. 4429 and 4574-J

## Hood's Sarsaparilla Makes Food Taste Good

Creates an appetite, aids digestion, purifies the blood, and thus relieves scrofula, catarrh, the pains and aches of rheumatism and gives strength to the whole system.

Nearly 50 years' phenomenal sales tell the story of the great merit and success of Hood's Sarsaparilla. It is just the medicine you need now.

Hood's Pills help—fine cathartic.

**RENTS REDUCED**

**Chicago Landlord Announces 10 Per Cent Cut**

CHICAGO, Sept. 28.—J. A. Greenburg, who owns a number of apartment buildings, yesterday announced a 10 per cent reduction in all rents, effective October 1, and stated that a similar reduction would be made next May.

"We are following in the footsteps of the manufacturers in the country who have inaugurated a decline in prices," he said.

**ON PRE-WAR BASIS**

German Ambassador Presents Credentials to President—Millerand of France

PARIS, Sept. 28.—Wilhelm Mayor von Kaufbeuren, German ambassador to France, today presented his credentials to President Millerand at the Elysee Palace, thus restoring the diplomatic relations of France and Germany to the pre-war basis.

A new kind of concrete permits nails to be hammered into it.

## UNIVERSITY EXTENSION

Enrolment is Supervised by State Department of Education Representative

Judging from the enrolment in the University Extension class in American citizenship, civics for women, opened last night in high school hall under the direction of Dennis Dooley, representative of the state department of education, housewives are as much interested in the conduct of governmental affairs and the duties of the different officers and departments of government as teachers or bookkeepers.

The enrolment last night showed that seven school teachers, two bookkeepers, 13 housewives and one clerk were present. This number of students is far below what was expected by Mr. Dooley, but the small attendance was attributed to the rain. On the other hand, the class is so large so inclusive of representatives of different women's occupations that the organizer has no doubt that the membership will increase greatly before the second or third class session.

The civics class is the first of a series of university extension classes to be opened in this city for the winter session. The first regular class session on the citizenship subject will be held in high school hall on Wednesday evening, October 6, instead of Tuesday evening, October 5. The course will be conducted by Hugh J. Molloy, superintendent of schools, who will follow the lecture system outlined by the state department of education. Mr. Molloy has specialized in the study of civics and citizenship and has taught those subjects before.

Upon the first opening of the citizenship class in Lowell, Mr. Dooley stated last night that there were 100 enrolments and in Springfield at the third meeting of the class there were 530 women enrolled. Other civics classes have been organized throughout the state with great success.

Instruction in this class is open to all women regardless of previous education and the cost includes nothing more than a one dollar fee for enrolment and the price of books. It is in reality a series of lectures on citizenship, various phases of government, voting, elections and other topics that will enable women especially to discharge their political duties intelligently.

Some changes were announced by Mr. Dooley last night which affected the first meeting of the English composition A class. This was scheduled to open on September 22 at the public library, but the first meeting has been scheduled for the evening of October 6. The instructor in English will be Percy W. Long, Ph.D., now of Boston, but formerly an instructor in English at Harvard University.

The instructor in the course on gasoline automobiles will be John J. Gildea, head of the automobile department of the Lowell Vocational school. Herbert Ball of the Textile school will conduct the courses in elementary accounting and principles of accounting, which will open on October 11 and Mr. James Dow, also of the Textile school, will conduct the course in oral English and public speaking.

The complete schedule of courses under this department and for which registration is still going on at the school department or in the class on night of meeting is as follows:

Tuesday, September 28, 1920, American Citizenship, \$1.  
Tuesday, October 5, 1920, Gasoline Automobiles, \$2.  
English Composition A, \$2.  
Wednesday, October 6, 1920, English Monday, October 11, 1920, Elementary Accounting, \$1.  
Monday, October 11, 1920, Principles of Accounting, \$1.  
Thursday, October 14, 1920, Oral English—Public Speaking, \$1.  
Thursday, October 14, 1920, Practical Applied Math, \$2.  
Tuesday, October 19, 1920, English for Business, \$1.

### SUCH IS LIFE

We Never Know When We Are Well Off

Bill Blivens was a master mechanic. What he didn't know about machinery you might find on your thumb nail.

But Bill was bit by the back-to-the-land bug.

Bill had never been on the land. He had dived along the rural highway, and it looked good to him.

"There's independence for you!" he exclaimed.

"Nature grows your crops. You harvest 'em, and spend the money."

"Listen will, doesn't it?"

"Fresh air, outdoor exercise, cheap living," he added.

"Me for the good old farm!"

Bill was one of the best hands in the factory.

Hank Hornsby was as classy a farm-hand as you'll find anywhere.

What he didn't know about raising crops and growing livestock isn't worth accumulating in an agricultural brain.

But Hank had been to the city. Went there for four days on a visit. They were the big days, what with the movie and the burlesque, and the street cars, and the parks, and great crowds of people prancing up and down every street what more could a guy want out of life?

"I'm going to pull up stakes here," Hank said, "and go where life is; where you know you're living."

Hank was one of the best farmers in his hop-pole.

(Business of pushing time ahead some dozen years.)

William Blivens has spent 12 years getting out from under his farm mortgage, and now the county agricultural agent admits, Farmer Blivens knows fully half as much about farming as Hank Hornsby knew when he left the neighborhood. Also he earns half as much as he did in the city then.

Henry Hornsby, after tacking forty-seven different varieties of jobs, finally glued himself to waving the flag at a grade crossing, which rewarded him in the sum of \$1.45 per day.

"What that procession?" asked a curious bystander.

"That," replied another, "is a gang of farm hands hustling to the city to escape the drudgery of farm toil."

"And what's that other procession?"

"Oh, that's city fellows beating it to farms to escape the drudgery of city work."

## LOWELL REPRESENTED IN BOSTON PARADE

About 500 members of the local lodges of Odd Fellows and Daughters of Rebekah went to Boston this morning to participate in the monster parade, which was held there in connection with the annual national convention of the order. Of that number some 300 gathered at the railroad station, while the others assembled at Odd Fellows hall, Bridge street, and paraded through the principal streets to the railroad station, where a special train was boarded at 10 o'clock for the Hub.

The parade was headed by Chief Marshal Linwood T. Sanders, who was followed by Banners' Military band. Next in line was Canton Pawtucket, Patriarchs Militant in uniform and then came members of various lodges. The local lodges represented in the parade were Oberlin, Arthur W. Jenkins, noble grand; Centralville, George N. Holden, noble grand; Highland Veritas, Lloyd E. Flint, noble grand. The lodges of Rebekah who accompanied the Odd Fellows to the Hub were Evening Star lodge, Mrs. Stella Clements, noble grand; Centralville, Mrs. Ella B. Hobson, noble grand, and Highland Union, Mrs. Lillian E. Flint, noble grand.

The route of the parade was through Bridge street to Merrimack square, to Merrimack street, to Central street, to Middlesex street as far as the railroad station. The Lowell delegations were to be in the ninth division of the parade and were ordered to report on Commonwealth ave., Boston, at 12.15.

## CHICAGO HOTELS REDUCE PRICES

CHICAGO, Sept. 28.—Twenty-two hotel owners today agreed to cut their restaurant prices from 25 to 33 1-3 per cent. Vegetables, fruits and cereals will be cut the most.

### Y.W.C.A. BALLY PARTY

Everybody invited to the Big Time Thursday Evening—Program of Recreation and Entertainment  
Everyone's invited! Thursday evening at 8 o'clock is the time. Gym girls, house girls, new girls, old girls—every girl who is in for a good time or who is interested in gymnasium classes, dancing, billiards, draughts, etc., is invited to come for an evening's jollification. Besides a program of recreation in the gymnasium, the Y.W.C.A. is also presenting dramatics, with various departments showing some of the happenings among its members. Registrations for classes will be taken during the evening.

Classes in gymnasium work will begin the week of October 4, under the direction of Miss Charlotte Norrarp. A class for women is to be one of the features this year, meeting on Tuesday and Thursday mornings. Business and industrial girls will find classes to meet their needs in the evening, for advanced work on Monday evenings, beginning work on Tuesday, sports, including basketball and volleyball, on Friday night, aesthetic dancing on Monday.

Gymnasium classes for children and high school girls are always popular because of the health benefit resulting. For younger girls, the classes will meet on Tuesday and Friday afternoons, immediately from 11 to 12 years of age will come on Wednesday and Friday afternoons, and the high school class meets on Monday afternoons at 4 o'clock.

The first Sunday afternoon open house of the season, is to be next Sunday from 3 to 5 in the afternoon. Mrs. Harrison Routelet Lacay, formerly of Lowell, and recently returned from China, is to be the speaker of the afternoon, with Miss Hazel Tutill, the soloist. Tea and a social hour will follow the service and everyone is invited, especially those who knew Mrs. Lacay as Miss Routelet when in Lowell.

High school girls are planning a big rally and banquet for Friday evening of this week, as the setting up of their winter work. Enthusiasm is at a high notch and any high school girl is invited provided she sends her name in advance.

Four per cent. of the milk produced in this country is used in ice cream manufacture.

### REGISTRATION SESSIONS

More Special Registration Sessions for Men and Women—Election Commissioners Busy

The election commissioners today announced further special registration sessions for men and women of wards 2, 6, 7, and 8, who wish to vote at the state election. Next Monday evening, Oct. 4, the commissioner will be at the Highland club from 7 to 9 for residents of wards 3 and 4. On Tuesday evening at the same hour they will hold a session at the C.N.A.C. clubhouse in Pawtucket street for residents of wards 4 and 7.

An interesting fact in connection with the special demands being made upon the election commissioners this year owing to the advent of women voters is that the four commissioners are doing the extra registration work almost every evening without additional remuneration or extra assistance. The chairman of the local board receives \$1000 a year and the other members \$900 each. In Boston the chairman receives \$4000 per year and the other members \$3500 each. In order to register women voters this year \$2 assistant registrars were appointed in the Hub, while none have been appointed here.

## BUY AN ASH CAN

That the Ashman Cannot Break

Ash Cans which have triple V shaped staves, never become dented.

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Graduated Pearl Opera Beads with brilliant and solid gold clasps. Regular \$1.00 values. Thursday A. M. only ..... 79¢

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Fine grade felt, caslor and fawn, all sizes, 3 to 7. Regular \$2.00 values. Thursday A. M. only ..... \$1.49

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In all shades. Regular 59¢ and 69¢ values. Thursday A. M. only, yard ..... 39¢

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Fancy and plain. Regular 79¢ values. Thursday A. M. only, yard ..... 59¢

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Covered with handsome velour, trimmed with gold braid and fancy metal cloth corners in blue, rose, brown and mulberry. Regular \$5.00 values. Thursday A. M. only ..... \$3.50

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Suitable for sofa, piazza or auto. Regular \$1.00 values. Thursday A. M. only ..... 75¢

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Best quality willow, upholstered with our best grade cretonne, silk damask effect, stained steel gray upholstery to match. Regular \$10.00. Thursday A. M. only ..... \$6.00

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Part wool. Regular 79¢ values. Thursday A. M. only ..... 49¢

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Fine nainsook, trimmed with lace and insertion. Regular \$1.49 values. Thursday A. M. only, 98¢

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## SEEKING BAD MAN

Lowell and Tyngsboro Police Respond to Telephone Calls from Varnum Ave. Residents

Because a tall, dark complexioned man walked back and forth in front of his house in Varnum avenue several times last night, about 7 o'clock, the owner of the house sent in a call to the police station, believing that the man was the one that has been frightening milkmen in the Highlands and Belvidere sections of the city during the past week. Inspector Walsh and Officer John Donovan were sent to the scene, which was near the city line, in the police automobile, but upon their arrival could not locate the man in question. The Tyngsboro police were

also called to the scene, but they likewise could not find the suspicious person. Since the police have been told about the activities of a man assaulting milkmen in the Highlands other milkmen have reported that they have encountered a similar individual in the Belvidere section.

## TO THE GRAND BANKS

Dawn Town Men's Club Hear Newspaper Woman Relate Her Experiences on Fishing Schooner Trip

A trip on a fishing schooner to the Grand Banks was described by Miss Marjorie Baker, a Boston newspaper woman, at the first fall meeting of the Dawn Town Men's Club of the First Congregational church last evening.

About 100 members were in attendance. Supper was served previous to Miss Baker's address.

The speaker told of the difficulty that she experienced in getting permission to make the sea trip, and said that it only became possible at last because she smuggled herself onto the schooner and remained hidden until it was beyond the three-mile limit of shore. She said that she had expected to be gone from Boston only 10 days, but that the trip had lasted much longer. She referred to many interesting and pleasant experiences connected with the voyage, and also to such unpleasant incidents as seasickness. She wore men's clothes during the trip, and when she arrived back in Boston the woman from whom she rented a room was

loath to believe that "he was Miss Baker."

## COFFEE HOUSE MEN

Warned By License Commission—Licensees to Be Revoked if Conditions of Same Are Not Lived Up To Because it was alleged that they were not closing their stores at midnight, were allowing gambling on their premises and were employing women either as waitresses or as cabaret dancers, 20 coffee house proprietors of the Greek community were summoned before the license commissioners last night and warned that their licenses would be revoked if such practices did not stop. Inspectors Conney and Moore

of the police force, were present at the meeting. Charles S. Hanson, chairman of the board, addressed the proprietors in forceful language reminding them of the privileges allowed by the coffee house licenses and of the result of violation of such. Commissioners Putnam and McGrath also instructed the proprietors.

## K. OF C. LECTURER

Rev. Fr. Helrea, an eminent authority on spiritualism and psychical subjects, will lecture in Associate hall, October 7, under the auspices of the Knights of Columbus. The lecture will be free to the public.

The bamboo sometimes grows two feet in 24 hours.

## A. G. Pollard Co.

The Store For Thrifty People

## Thursday Specials

8.30 A. M.  
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For cold nights some like a heavier Night Gown—Two styles, with high and V neck and long sleeves, heavy cambric and made full. Regular prices \$2.50 and \$2.98. Special ..... \$1.98

## Waists

2 Dozen \$1.98 Fine Voile Waists. Special ..... 69¢  
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2 Doz. \$10 Hand-made Philippine Waists ..... \$6.98  
2 Dozen \$10 Heavy Crepe de Chine Waists ..... \$6.98

## SECOND FLOOR

## Infants' Wear

## Third Floor

Gowns of Flannelette for children 2, 4 and 6 years old, made of a good quality flannelette, in blue and white stripe patterns. Regular \$1.75 value. Special, each ..... \$1.25

Infants' Flannelette Gowns, made long, with draw, string at bottom, of white flannelette, size infants' to 3 years. Regular \$1.49 value. Special, each ..... \$1.25

Slips for Infants, cut long of an extra good quality cotton, trimmed with lace on neck and sleeves. Regular \$1.25 value. Special, each ..... 89¢

Flannel Gertrudes for children, 1, 2, 3 years old, slightly soiled. Regular \$1.79 value. Special ..... \$1.25

## Corsets

## Third Floor

## THOMSON CORSETS

One style, heavy white coutil, low top and long skirt. Regular price \$5.00. Special ..... \$3.50

One style, white coutil, medium top and long skirt. Regular price \$4.00. Special ..... \$3.00

One style, Deering, pink broche, elastic top. Regular price \$5.00. Special ..... \$3.50

One style, Lily of France, elastic top and very long skirt, pink coutil. Regular price \$7.50. Special price ..... \$5.00

## Fancy Ribbons

## For Bags, Sashes and Hair Bows

This is a special assortment of fancies, including light and dark effects, in dresden ribbon, satin stripes, also plain and moire taffeta, 7 or 8 inches in width. Values up to \$1.39 yard. Special at, yard 49¢

## STREET FLOOR

## Children's School Shoes

Vici kid, lace and button style, first quality stock, welted soles, nature shape last, all sizes—

5 to 8, \$3.25. Special ..... \$2.75  
8½ to 11, \$3.75. Special ..... \$3.00

## STREET FLOOR

## Women's Neckwear

## Street Floor

**COLLAR and CUFF SETS** of organdie, neatly trimmed with val. lace, roll collar effect. Regular \$1.00 value. Special ..... 75¢

**COLLARS**—Roll effect, made of embroidered organdie. Regular 75¢ value. Special ..... 50¢

**COLLAR and CUFF SETS**—Roll collar effect of white organdie with colored hemstitched ruffle. Regular price 75¢. Special ..... 59¢

**VESTES** with collar attached, or organdie, with ruffle. Regular \$1.50 value. Special ..... \$1.00

**VESTES** of ruffled net, trimmed with rows of val. lace insertion. Regular \$1.50 value. Special ..... \$1.00

## Jewelry

Colored Bead Necklaces, values \$1.00 to \$4.00. Special, 50¢ to \$2.00

Black Jet Beads (bright only.) Neck and opera lengths. Values \$1.00 to \$5.50. Special, 50¢ to \$2.75

Metal Necklaces. Values \$1.50 to \$5.00. Special, \$1.75 to \$2.50

Enamel Pins (sterling silver.) Values 75¢ and \$1.00. Special ..... 50¢

Hat Pins (sterling silver.) Value 50¢ pair. Special, 25¢ pair

Cuff Pin Sets. Value 60¢ pair. Special ..... 35¢ pair

Pearl Earrings. Values 50¢ and 60¢ pair. Special, 35¢ pair

## STREET FLOOR

## NOTIONS

Pearl Buttons, all sizes. Regular 15¢. Special, 10¢ Card  
Fancy Buttons, all styles and colors. Regular 50¢. 75¢ Special, 35¢ Card  
Kleinert's Exquisite Waist Shields, small and large. Regular 30¢. 35¢ Special, 25¢ Card  
White Dress Belting, 1½, 2½ inches. Regular 30¢ yard. Special ..... 15¢ Card  
Clasp Socket Fasteners. Regular 15¢. Special, 10¢ Card  
Cameo Snap Fasteners, all sizes, black and white. Regular 10¢. Special ..... 7¢ Card  
Sapho Lingette Tape, 7 yard pieces, white. Regular 15¢. Special ..... 10¢ Card  
Domino Elastic, black and white, ½ inch. Regular 10¢. Special ..... 7¢ Card  
Domino Elastic, black and white, ¾ inch. Regular 12¢. Special ..... 10¢ Card  
Dressmakers' Shears, 6 in. 7 in. Regular 60¢. Special, 40¢ pair

## STREET FLOOR

## Wash Goods

## Palmer Street Store

**WHITE STRIPED MADRAS**—36 inches wide, 1 lot of good quality madras, slightly soiled, just the thing for house dresses, waists and shirts. Regular price 59¢ yard. Special, yard ..... 35¢

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## Women's Gloves

Women's Kid Gloves, mostly small sizes, black and black and white. Values to \$3. Special ..... 49¢

Women's White Fabric Gloves, two clasp, sizes 5½ to 7. Values to \$1.25. Special 79¢

Children's White Doe Skin Gloves, sizes 00 to 7. Values to \$1.50. Special ..... 79¢

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3000 yards, in remnants, 2 to 6 yard lengths. Regular \$1.25 grade.

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## \$1.98 Sateen Petticoats 98¢

25 Dozen Fine Grade Sateen Petticoats in all black and black with colored floral designs, in rose, blue, purple and many other combinations of color. Generous deep flounces with tiny knife pleated ruffles are featured. EXTRA SIZES in all black at ..... \$1.50  
SECOND FLOOR

## Ready-to-Wear Garments

## Second Floor

\$40 Black and Navy Serge Coats, 38 to 44 size. Special \$25.00

\$45 Black and Navy Gabardine Coats, 38 to 40 size. Special \$30

\$45 Silvertone Coat, reindeer, size 36. Special ..... \$18.50

\$35 Tweed Mixture Coat, size 36. Special ..... \$18.50

\$25 Taffeta Dresses, navy, taupe and black. Special ..... \$18.50

\$18.98 Silk Poplin Dresses, in navy, taupe and black. 16 to 46 size. Special ..... \$15.00

\$2.98 Children's Gingham Dresses, 6 to 14 size. Special \$1.69

\$3.98 Children's Gingham Dresses, 6 to 14 size. Special \$2.69

\$7.50 Children's Gingham Dresses, 6 to 14 size. Special \$5.00

\$7.50 Children's White Organdie Dresses, 6 to 12 size. Special \$2.98

\$3.98 Shelland Tie Back Sweaters ..... \$2.98

## Rugs and Draperies

Scrim Curtains, made of yard wide scrim in plain hemstitched or lace edge, with or without valances, in white only. Regular length. Regular price \$3.00. Special, pair \$1.50

Dutch Curtains, made of heavy marquisette with hemstitched band trimmed with wide flit lace on edge, 2 1-3 yard long in white only. Regular price \$5.50 pair. Special, pair \$4.50

Nottingham Lace and Flit Net Curtains, 2 1-2 yards long, can be used in any room in the house. These are mostly two and three pair lots. Regular price \$2.00 to \$5.00 a pair. Special, pair ..... \$1.50 to \$3.98

Window Shades, Cream Color Only—These are water color shades, and sell today for 98¢ each. Only a few dozen at this price. Special, each ..... 65¢

Couch Covers in Oriental and Persian patterns, regular sizes, only a few. Regular price \$3.75 to \$5.00 each. Special, each ..... \$2.98 to \$3.98

Two Doz. Tapestry Art Squares of the best quality, the ten wire grade, in a good assortment of designs and colorings. Regular price \$55.00. Special price, each ..... \$36.00

Japanese Grass Rugs and Art Squares, in a good variety of colors and designs. We have these in 7 different sizes from 18x36 to 9x12. They make an excellent rug for a chamber. Regular price 75¢ each to \$15.00. Special, each 55¢ to \$10.98

More of These Heavy Door Mats, in 3 sizes, made of heavy rubber—

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Regular price \$1.98, 20x40. Special, each ..... \$1.69

Small Lot of Heavy Mottled Axminster Rugs, size 27x54. Regular price \$5.98 each. Special, each ..... \$4.50

Remnants of Scrim and Marquisette, in plain or with fancy borders, in white, cream and Arab; remnants run from 1 yard to 4 yards. Regular price 50¢ yard to 75¢ yard. Special, yard ..... 35¢

## SECOND FLOOR



## MOTHER IMPROVES BECAUSE OF VIOLIN MELODIES OVER TELEPHONE

NEW YORK, Sept. 30.—Every day Maurice Nitka, noted violinist, plays the old melodies and airs of long ago that he knows his mother loves, over the telephone from his room to the

flat where she lies, seriously ill, at Flower hospital. Afraid lest the music disturb other patients, Nitka adopted this novel method of playing the music his mother wished. Physicians say that Mrs. Nitka has shown great improvement since the daily concerts. Actually, musicians say, some violin music is improved by telephonic transmission.

## HUB DOCTOR BEATEN UP BY POLICEMEN

BOSTON, Sept. 29.—Dr. John Sears McCormack, well known physician, was delirious at his home, 405 South Huntington avenue, last night, as the result of a beating alleged to have been received from Patrolman Frank A. Norton of the Joy street police station early yesterday morning, just after he had finished calling on a patient on Batavia street.

As a result of the assault, Patrolman Norton was arrested on the charge of drunkenness and assault and was afterwards held in \$500 until October 8. He was later suspended from duty. A rigid investigation has been promised by District Attorney Pollister, as well as Police Commissioner Curtis. Dr. McCormack charges that Patrolman Norton was attempting to steal his car at the time he received the beating.

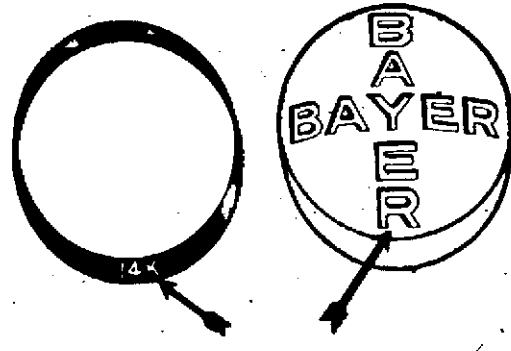
## ALLOWS INDIANS TO PLAY SEWELL

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—Permission for the Cleveland Americans to use Shortstart Sewell, successor of the late Ray Chapman, in the world's series, if the Indians win the American league pennant, was granted last night by Charles H. Ebbets, president of the Brooklyn champions. Sewell joined the Cleveland team after Chapman's death, and his contract was promulgated after the time limit of Aug. 30, making him ineligible for the inter-league series.

Mr. Ebbets' announcement was made in reply to a telegram from President Dunn of Cleveland in which he made a request to use Sewell. Ebbets said he hoped Cleveland would win the American league pennant, in view of the indictment of the White Sox players.

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## MUST RESIGN OR RETURN TO WORK

Mayor Perry D. Thompson has sent the following letter to Thomas B. Riley, a member of the local police department, who was granted a six months' leave of absence some time ago and who has long since expired, demanding that he either resign or return to his duties:

Sept. 28, 1920.  
Mr. Thomas B. Riley,  
50 Kingsman street,  
Lowell, Mass.

Dear Sir: Your leave of absence from the Lowell police department has long since expired. When I called it in, I was met with the statement that you were ill, but I find upon investigation that you are in good health.

I must, therefore, insist that you do either one of two things, send in your resignation or return to duty in the Lowell police department.

Respectfully yours,  
PERRY D. THOMPSON,  
Mayor of Lowell.

In some of the island groups of the Pacific, eggs are preserved by being covered with sirup.

## AMUSEMENT NOTES

**MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE**  
Final performances of "The Prince Chap" the noted William De Mille production, featuring Thomas Meighan, will be given at the Merrimack Square theatre this evening and tomorrow the usual mid-weekly change of program will take place.

The outstanding attraction for Thursday, Friday and Saturday will be popular and breezy Wallace Reid in his latest screen comedy, "What's Your Hurry?" Wallie is again the auto racer in this production as he has been in the two or three previous features, but he doesn't stick to the racing car long in this speed picture. In order to win the lady of his heart the daughter of a gruff old motor truck manufacturer, he becomes an employe of his prospective father-in-law. But in this capacity he succeeds only in getting himself "in wrong," and it is not until he risks his life to

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## Wallace Reid

IN

## What's Your Hurry



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### OTHER ATTRACTIONS

"While the Auto Waits" | "You Tell 'Em Lions, I Roar"  
An O. Henry Story | Metro Comedy

International News | Will Rogers' Illiterate Digest | Burton Holmes

TONIGHT—Thomas Meighan in "The Prince Chap"

WHERE U CAN ENJOY YOURSELF

## ROYAL Theatre

'Mong the fellers deim' real big things in the movies is one J. Parker Read. Mebbe ya heard bout him. Anyway he's a great chap, does a pitchup ur brown, an he's jess finished a corker, a sort of a sequel to "The Lone Wolf" en "False Faces." Folks who've seen these pitchurs 'member the big exciting en unusual climaxes, en they do say that Parker Read's masterpiece got both these backed to a standstill. Enyway, yu'll hev a chance tuh judge, ef ya come Wednesday or Thursday when we'll show the big sensation play—

### "The Lone Wolf's Daughter"

Featuring EDWIN STEVENS, THOMAS HOLDING, BERTRAM GRASSBY—en Starring

## LOUISE GLAUM

This girl is sure a corker for difficult parts, en she takes off this un mighty fine. Better make a date with yer girl, en come along tonite.

En besides we're showin' "REVENGE OR?" a new western thriller; Fifth Episode of GEORGE SEITZ'S "PIRATE GOLD" serial; en a new HANK MANN fun-fest.

pilot a fleet of trucks to the rescue of a countryside threatened by a burning dam, that he is able to soften the old man's heart and capture the girl. Wallace Reid is most delightful in this breezy picture. He is supported by Lois Wilson and other capable stars. Another feature of the program for the last half of the week will include an O. Henry story, "While the Auto Waits"; a Metro comedy, "You Tell 'Em Lions, I Roar"; the International News; and Will Rogers' Illiterate Digest.

### THE MIAUTO

Wanda Hawley in "Food for Scandal," and Tyrone Power in "The Great Shadow," from one of the best double bills that could be asked for in this first half-week's program at the Rialto theatre. Miss Hawley's picture is a light comedy of the daintiest sort with a new story to it, and Mr. Power's play is one of a present day problem, that of the danger of boileism in the ranks of labor. In addition, the Sunshine comedy is full of laughs, the episode of "The Third Eye" is full of thrills, and the Fox News has some wonderful pictures of the Wall street explosion.

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Good comedy, with touches of real

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MATINEE TOMORROW  
10c, 15c, 25c, 30c

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ECHOING APPLAUSE  
Gives the startling situations in  
Orpheus Bay Cohen's Great Saturday  
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NEXT WEEK  
First Big Laughing Week. The  
Mix-Up  
"PEGGY, BEHAVE"

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## MAY ALLISON

Featured in Metro's  
"Held in Trust"

## HELD IN TRUST

Based on powerful Red Book  
Magazine story.  
SHE WAS YOUNG—SHE WAS  
BEAUTIFUL—And She loved  
Fine clothes. But She was  
only a shopgirl. WHAT  
HAPPENED?—Backs

EXTRA ATTRACTION

## W. H. B. WARNER

Featured in  
"Uncharted Channels"

A big human comedy-drama  
of the man in overalls.  
HE FAILED AS A MILLIONAIRE  
BUT SUCCEEDED AS A  
PLUMBER

novelly to it, are very frequent on the All-Star bill at the B. F. Keith theatre, this week. Bessie Rempel and "Him" in the fishing skit, "His Day Out," scores more than makes good. Bert Kenney and T. R. Noddy in a talking unsually, and Hollister & Stephens in the impromptu comedy, "Back in Beverly Hills," are winners. Another act of more than ordinary merit is that given by Mack & Lane. It is a bit of everything, and it is pushed along in really good fashion. Audiences care much for it. Other acts on the bill are those of Elbert Brothers, premier acrobats, and the Musical Johnstones, wonderful xylophonists.

THE STRAND  
A great story—and a great picture—is the consensus of opinion of the vast majority who attended The Strand the past two days. Reference was to "The Silver Horde," the Rex Beach story that will be shown for the last time today. If you like one of those he-man recitals of the frozen northwest, then avail yourself of

## Rialto

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LAST TIMES TODAY  
WANDA HAWLEY in  
"FOOD FOR SCANDAL"  
— and —  
TYRONE POWER in  
"THE GREAT SHADOW"

Entire New Program Tomorrow  
MRS. CHARLIE CHAPLIN

Polly of the Storm Country  
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The noted stage favorite  
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lective story—and who is there that isn't—then see "The Crimson Alibi" as being produced this week by the Lowell Players at the Opera House. You will not alone see a good story, treat ed in a commendable way, but you will see some of the best character- izations that the stock stage has to en up in some time. Miss Knowles, as the motherly housekeeper, and Ken-

nel Fleming as the butler, are both particularly good and deserve praise for the splendid treatment each gives the role assigned to him. The play has a most important prologue that must be witnessed to get a full measure of pleasure out of the piece. Be on time and see it. Tickets are selling fast for the remaining performances. Order yours now.

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"The Sea Wolf" filled the Merrimack Square Theatre to capacity at every performance. We expect to repeat. If you didn't see it then, take a walk up this way.

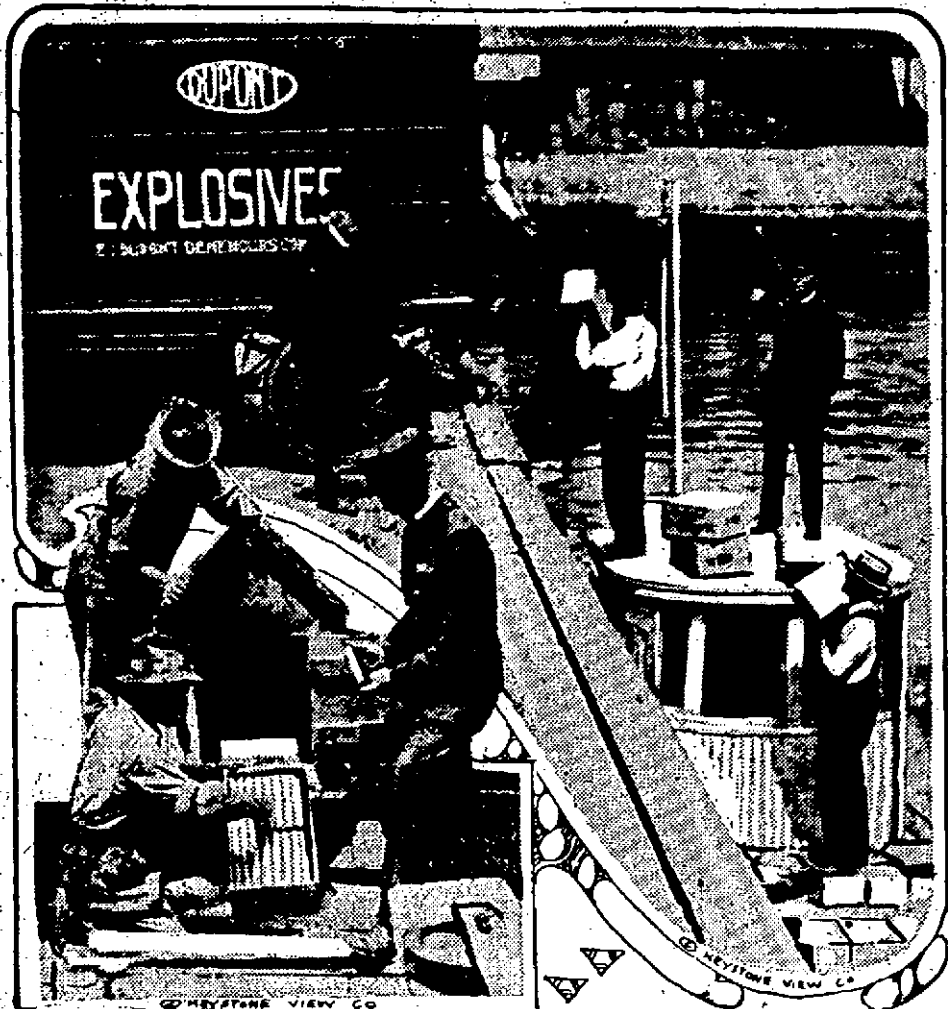
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## HOW EXPLOSIVES ARE HANDLED IN N. Y. C.



**HOW EXPLOSIVES ARE HANDLED**  
NEW YORK, Sept. 30.—Investigations of the Wall street blast have turned the spotlight on Metropolitan methods of transporting explosives.

**COUNT MERRIMACK**  
The 40th anniversary of Court Merrimack, 11, F. of A., was observed last evening with a social hour during which interesting speeches were delivered. In the early part of the evening a brief business session was held with Chief Ranger Ernest Ready in the chair and later under the direction of John Hendricks a literary program was given. Among those who addressed the gathering were Mayor

Pictures show the safety-first method used. When small boats, flying a red flag of danger, arrive at the wharf with a load of explosives, a powder wagon is already waiting. On the wagon body is printed the word "explosives" in huge letters. Inspectors

are always on the job. Every stick of dynamite entering New York City must be stamped with the contractor's number, and records are kept of the quantity received and by whom used. Inspectors superintend the packing, shipping and use.

Thompson, State Grand Secretary William Mitchell, Deputy Grand Chief Ranger James Dunn, Past Chief Ranger James Gallagher, John W. Sharkey, John Barrett, George McElroy, Andrew Molloy, Mr. Martel and Mr. Ryan. At the close of the evening a buffet luncheon was served. The committee in charge of this anniversary was as follows: Thomas C. Mooney, Ambrose Ready, Arthur Bernhardt, John W. Sharkey, Arthur St. Hilaire, John Sullivan, John T. Hendricks, John J. McCullough, John Reed, Daniel Redding, Patrick J. Mahoney, John Gilligan, Richard J. Townsend, Edward J. McInerney and Thomas F. Kelley.

**FIRE ALARMS**  
At 7.55 o'clock this morning there was a telephone alarm for a blaze caused by an oil stove in a house at the corner of Paige and John streets. The damage was slight. At 11.38 o'clock last evening an alarm was sent in from box 23 for a curtain fire at 18 Church street. No damage.

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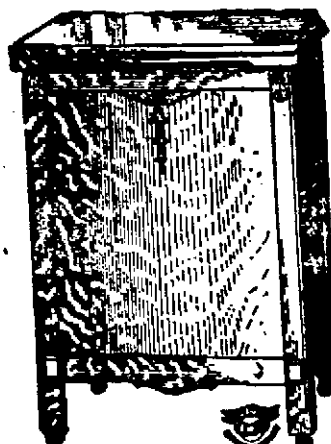
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Your name made with beautiful star twist (part of art work) stitched by Mr. Ellis, silk artist.

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Fifth Floor—Take Elevator

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## TO SUPPORT GOV. COX

Harding and Those Who Picked Him Denounced by Members of Bull Moose

WASHINGTON, Sept. 29.—A committee of fifteen members of the Bull Moose party, headed by Matthew Hale of Boston, former chairman of the National Progressive executive committee, after a meeting here yesterday, issued an appeal for the support of Governor Cox.

In making his appeal to the progressives of the country to support the democratic ticket, the committee recalled the fact that Senator Harding denounced Theodore Roosevelt as a "modern Aaron Burr," and combated his policies on the theory that they were socialistic and revolutionary.

The statement says in part: "A little group of obstinate party bigots, extending the autocratic precedents of 1912 to 1920, and demonstrating the utmost disregard for the will of the party voters, named their personal choice for president. Truly the 'steam roller' exceeded the speed limit." The senate oligarchy named the least worthy of its own membership, the most colorless, pliant reactionary of the unimportant group, the leader of our democracy in a time of most momentous national and foreign problems.

"This group chose Senator Harding as their candidate long before the convention. They chose him as the most useful tool for their private purposes, the most useful tool for assuring their personal control of the government, regardless of the need of the nation for a leader of outstanding ability and intellectual power. Some states required primaries and thus the voters had the opportunity to reject in advance the senatorial choice."

"But these senators who were loudest in their insistence that no treaty should be made without their consent, had no hesitation in dictating a national without the consent of the voters. Progressive voters may well ask how many times their intelligence and their patriotism must be insulted before they will reject decisively every claim of partisanship and vote down and out of office the power the reactionaries who have maintained minority control in the republican party in 1912, in 1916, and in 1920."

**Dodged 1163 Roll Calls**  
The progressivists briefly summarize the record of Senator Harding saying: "His record as senator clearly indicates what he would do as president. His record is void of either initiative, activity or accomplishment. His name is not connected with any single outstanding issue during his entire service. He has not introduced or championed one big constructive measure. The record shows that he has been absent or dodged 1163 roll calls and quorum calls."

"The record shows that his senate speeches were halting, inconsistent, generally illogical, and with always a reactionary point of view. Without variation he has followed the party bosses, Penrose, Smoot and Lodge. Not once has he displayed irregularity."

"On the prohibition issue he is a 'wet,' having voted with the liquor interests 30 times out of 32. During the discussion of the prohibition amendment to the Constitution, he said: 'I am not a prohibitionist, Mr. President, and never pretended to be. I do not approach this question from a moral standpoint because I am unable to see it is a great moral question.'"

"After having favored woman suffrage, he finally favored a woman anti-franchise. He voted for the Cummins railway bill with its anti-strike provision. He stood consistently against conservation, voting several times for the Shields water power bill. On every important test between capital and labor he voted with capital."

"He has opposed public ownership in every form. He voted against a government armor plate factory at the beginning of the war. He opposed the wire control bill as a war measure. On revenue measures he voted against any amendment to increase the tax against profiteering and large incomes. He opposed the abolition of the secret sessions of the senate. He favored secret diplomacy by opposing the open consideration of treaties by the senate. He opposed the confirmation of Louis D. Brandeis to the supreme court."

"He opposed a tax upon campaign contributions. He opposed the European food relief bill. He voted and spoke for conscription as a permanent policy. He opposed referendum and recall as a peace policy. He opposed disarmament for all nations."

"In our judgment the above record shows Senator Harding to be a confirmed and hopeless reactionary. He is not a leader, but relies wholly upon the Penrose-Lodge-Smoot leadership."

**MRS. BERGDOLL CONVICTED**  
PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 29.—Mrs. Emma C. Bergdoll and her four co-defendants were found guilty last night of conspiracy to aid two of her sons, Grover and Erwin, evade the draft. The verdict was returned in the United States district court.

**Tells Dyspeptics What to Eat**  
Avoid Indigestion, Sour, Acid Stomach, Heartburn, Gas on Stomach, Etc.

Indigestion and practically all forms of stomach trouble, say medical authorities, are due nine times out of ten to an excess of hydrochloric acid in the stomach. Chronic "acid stomach" is a very dangerous and dangerous and sufferers should do either one of two things.

Either they can go on a limited and often unpalatable diet, avoiding foods that disagree with the stomach, or they can take a reliable stomach antacid, then the stomach and lead to excess acid secretion or they can eat as they please in reason and make it a practice to counteract the effect of the harmful acid and prevent the formation of gas, sourness or premature fermentation by the use of a little Bismuthated Magnesia at their meals.

There is probably no better, safer or more reliable stomach antacid than Bismuthated Magnesia and it is widely used for this purpose. It has no direct action on the stomach and is not a digestant. But a teaspoonful of the powder or five grains of the tablets taken in a little water with the food will neutralize the excess acidity which may be present and prevent its further formation. This removes the whole cause of the stomach trouble and the meal digests naturally and healthfully without need of peptic pills or artificial digestants.

Get a few ounces of Bismuthated Magnesia from any reliable druggist. Ask for either powder or tablets. It never comes as a liquid, milk or citrate and in the bismuthated form is not a laxative. Try this plan and eat what you want at your meal and see if this isn't the best service you ever had on "what to eat."

Lippett's After-Dinner Drug Store and other leading druggists—Adv.

## HARDING PROMISES ECONOMY, IF ELECTED

WHEELING, W. Va., Sept. 29.—Declaring that democratic extravagance and mismanagement had brought the nation to the brink of financial disaster, Senator Harding told an audience of several thousand here last night that the republican party proposed to inaugurate a policy of economy and efficiency that would put the whole federal government on a sound business basis.

The republican nominee quoted treasury department figures to support his charge of unwarranted expenditures, and asserted that one effect of the administration's proposal for a new budget system would be to further handicap the money market, and to increase the cost of living. He criticized President Wilson for his veto of the budget bill passed by the last republican congress, and promised that a budget system would be one of the first policies inaugurated by a new republican administration.

"Unless we check the existing system of waste and extravagance," he said, "we shall run head-on into disaster. We have heard during the last few days from the democratic administration at Washington that it needs money, more money, always more money. And during these same days we have heard from a democratic candidate that if he is elected to the presidency he will give to the people of this country a budget system such as the present president, with whom he says he is in accord, rejected last June."

Harding's speech here was the sixth he had delivered during the day in West Virginia. Crossing from Baltimore during the morning, he made short rear platform talks to crowds at Gratton, Fairmont, Mannington, Cameron and Moundsville, assailing the labor provisions of the peace treaty, and declaring that the democratic administration might ease the coal situation if it chose by invoking the car allotment provisions of the Cummings-Esch railway bill.

## MARRIAGE INTENTIONS

The following marriage intentions have been filed recently at the office of the city clerk:

John R. Jordan, 117 Butterfield, 30, realtor; Annabel Fitzgerald, 66 High, 28, at home.

Leroy Russell Hogan, 14 Mt. Washington, 27, student; Helen Esther Rodger, 53 Third, student.

Raymond C. Adams, Brooklyn, N. Y., 24, sales manager; Edna W. Hoffer, Brooklyn, N. Y., 21, at home.

John M. Melkonian, 10 Stanley, 26, watchman; Tatyana Tarylian, 20 Stanley, 20, at home.

Franciszek Sudo, 236 Suffolk, 33, machine shop; Magdalena Jadowska, 216 Suffolk, 30, operative.

Harold F. Clark, 489 School, 23, assistant shipper; Elizabeth Boy, 689 School, 22, knitter.

James F. Murray, 19 Hurd, 42, U.S.C. Co.; Mary Ellen Warren, 698 Gorham, 31, U.S.C. Co.

Frank Tiffany, Waltham, 32, operative; Josephine Morton, widowed (nee McDonough), 69 French, 31, operative.

Joseph Edward Coglombe, 2 Lavalley place, 32, chauffeur; Sarah J. Griffin, 34 Marion, 25, shoemaker.

Clement J. Coutu, 68 Branch, 21, chauffeur; Bertha Dube, Lawrence, 20, at home.

Harold K. Bartlett, 93 Dover, 21, insurance clerk; Mildred R. Gray, 33 Dover, 23, clerk.

Leo Oron Champagne, 614 Moody, 23, machinist; Blanche Alice Lapointe, 211 Ludlum, 22, at home.

Jersey Waldo McMaster, 56 Rolfe, 24, cashier; Harriet Smeethurst, 44 D. 25, at home.

George S. Florence, 23 Dutton, 25, axer; Louise Bordelau, 558 Broadway, 16, operative.

Albert Gosselin (divorced), 68 Tucker, 35, shoe salesman; Cora Marie Anne Langlois, Haverhill, 27, stitchee.

## Tired Mothers

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MEN'S SILK FOUR-IN-HAND TIES, Regular 50c value. Thursday Special 29c

MEN'S FINE CASHMERE HALF HOSE, in black and oxford. Regular 75c value. Thursday Special 89c

MEN'S HEAVY JERSEY SHIRTS AND DRAWERS, in ecru. Regular \$1.25 value. Thursday Special 89c

WOMEN'S CAPE GLOVES, in tan and grey. Regular \$2.50 value. Thursday Special \$1.85

WOMEN'S COTTON HOSE, in black and white. Regular 39c and 50c values. Thursday Special 25c

CHILDREN'S FINE CASHMERE HOSE, in black and white. Regular 75c value. Thursday Special 49c

INFANTS' CASHMERE HOSE with silk heel and toe. Irregulars, in black and white. Regular 50c value. Thursday Special 29c

CHILDREN'S MEDIUM WEIGHT VEST AND PANTS. Regular 75c value. Thursday Special 50c

CHILDREN'S HEAVY FLEECE LINED UNION SUITS. Regular \$1.50 value. Thursday Special 99c

CHILDREN'S SLEEPING GARMENTS, in heavy domet, white and fancy. Regular \$1.50 values. Thursday Special \$1.19

BOYS' PANTS, in dark mixtures, sizes 7 to 16 years. Regular \$1.50 value. Thursday Special \$1.00

BOYS' ALL WOOL CAPS, also black rubber rain hats. Regular \$1.00 values. Thursday Special 69c

BOYS' SUITS, in sizes 3 and 4 only. Regular \$5.00 and \$6.00 values. Thursday Special \$3.98

WOMEN'S FLESH COLORED BANDEAUX, in broken sizes. Regular 69c value. Thursday Special 39c

WOMEN'S HEAVY COTTON BRASSIERES, with hampburg trimming, hooked in front. Regular 69c value. Thursday Special 35c

CHILDREN'S HEAVY COTTON WAISTS, reinforced under the arms, in sizes 2 to 14 years. Regular 75c values. Thursday Special 50c

WOMEN'S CROSSETT BOOTS, some with gun metal vamp and grey kid top, others in all grey kid, with Louis and military heels. Regular \$12.00 value. Thursday Special \$3.95

GIRLS' CALF SKIN SHOES, in black and tan, suitable for school wear. Sizes 8 1/2 to 2. Regular \$3.00 value. Thursday Special \$2.00

GIRLS' FELT SLIPPERS, in sizes 6 to 10. Regular \$1.00 values. Thursday Special 69c

CHILDREN'S SHOES, in all styles, mostly turned soles. Sizes 2 to 8. Regular \$3.00 values. Thursday Special \$1.50

FELT SLIPPERS for men and women. Regular \$1.00 value. Thursday Special 69c

WOMEN'S COTTON DRAWERS, trimmed with hampburg ruffles, pin tucks and hemstitched or narrow lace edge. Regular 89c values. Thursday Special 59c

WOMEN'S COTTON GOWNS AND PETTICOATS, cut full, and trimmed with lace or hampburg. Regular \$1.98 value. Thursday Special \$1.29

WOMEN'S PERCALE WRAPPERS, in black, grey and indigo blue, figured or striped. All sizes. Regular \$2.98 value. Thursday Special \$2.29

WOMEN'S BILLIE BURKE APRONS of extra good percale, loose model, with pockets and belt trimmed with narrow lace edging. Regular \$2.69 value. Thursday Special \$1.99

WOMEN'S HANDKERCHIEFS, with colored borders. Regular 15c values. Thursday Special 11c

WOMEN'S PURE LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS with 1-8 inch hem. Regular 35c value. Thursday Special 27c

MEN'S FINE LAWN HANDKERCHIEFS. Regular 25c value. Thursday Special 29c

NET AND ORGANDIE COLLARS. Regular 59c value. Thursday Special 39c

WOMEN'S NET JABOTS, with lace trimming. Regular \$1.00 values. Thursday Special 59c

CUTICLE REMOVER. Regular 35c value. Thursday Special 29c

PUSSYWILL TALCUM POWDER. Regular 30c value. Thursday Special 25c

MAGIC DEPILOY, odorless. Regular \$1.00 value. Thursday Special 69c

PEARL NECKLACES. Excellent values. Regular 49c values. Thursday Special 39c

BAR PINS with sterling silver top and colored stones. Regular \$1.00 value. Thursday Special 89c

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## BOSTON FINANCIAL SCARE

If the leading banks of every other state in the Union were involved in difficulties such as surround those of Boston today, what a condition our country would be in!

The mismanagement of financial affairs and the tolerance of swindling operations by the state authorities, has been utterly scandalous.

First Ponzi was allowed to rake in many millions of the people's money without offering any bona fide guarantee that any great part of it would ever be returned. The state authorities should have shut up the Ponzi business the first week of its activity. But it was allowed to go on until the newspapers cried out against the plunder.

Then the authorities woke up, but it was too late. The press would have acted sooner but for the assumption that if the Ponzi business were wrong, or fraudulent, the state officials would close it up at once. That was a very grave mistake.

In this state at that time, any combination of swindlers could have opened up a bureau for the sale of gold bricks without molestation from the bank commissioner, the governor, the state police or anybody else except some newspaper.

What could be expected of an administration in which the state treasurer was himself engaged in a system of graft?

The sequel is now seen in the closing of several banks and trust companies in Boston, some of them regarded as the most reliable in the state. They have been caught in the swirl of the Ponzi swindle, the greatest ever perpetrated upon an unsuspecting people.

True, some of them are solvent if they had time to gather in their assets; but they have been temporarily overwhelmed by the demands of excited depositors, as an aftereffect of the Ponzi business.

Governor Coolidge will have a special commission investigate it all and recommend legislation to deal with such swindling operations in the future. As usual the governor will proceed to lock the stable door after the steed is stolen.

We have a notion that decent republicans are indignant and disgusted at the remissness of the state authorities in permitting a gigantic swindle to precipitate such a financial crisis.

## BLAMING THE STATE

There are some queer characters in Wall street. Edwin D. Wheelock, a Wall street broker, is one of them. He was recently drawn on a jury and offered no objection to serving until the case of two boys charged with a crime was called.

Wheelock at once asked to be excused, saying "the chief criminal is not before the bar."

In reply to a question by the judge, he said "society is the chief criminal," alleging that "perpetuates conditions which breed criminals, tempt men to crime and reward them if they are sufficiently skilful in crime."

It is a socialistic idea that the state is responsible for poverty and that this condition leads to the commission of crime. Possibly Wheelock's idea would be to divide up all the wealth of the country equally among the people. It would be but a short time until those who had nothing would be just as poor as ever. It is not society that causes some people to be rich and others poor; but the industry, thrift, tact and ability of one class and the indolence and shiftlessness of the other. In this country opportunity comes alike to all. Those who grasp it become rich; those who don't are left behind. But the latter cannot justly blame society. That is where Wheelock is wrong.

This charge is fully as bad as that other pretext for disobeying the laws of God and man, namely, the alleged lack of free will. Wheelock's logic seems to be that the measures and penalties adopted to prevent crime are responsible for promoting it, a piece of absurdity quite on a par with the claim that in the commission of sin man is not a free agent.

The state can be responsible for crime only when it prevents the training or education necessary to inculcate law-abiding habits and the practice of virtue or when by law it allows one class to tyrannize over another. The state always encourages such training and we have no class legislation, so that there can be no foundation for Wheelock's charge.

## POLICE AND AMERICANIZATION

An interesting experiment in connection with the work of Americanizing foreign-speaking residents is being made in Worcester. It is realized that the police of the city stand, in the eyes of many of the aliens, as the concrete embodiment of the forces of government. With a good many of the new-comers it can probably be said with truth that our institutions are more or less on trial, and that they are likely to stand or fall as the conduct of the officers of the law impresses them favorably or otherwise.

The policemen, since the advent of prohibition, have in many cases been relieved of some of the work that formerly occupied a large share of their time. Their services are just as necessary to the community as ever, but it is possible to make use of them in ways that in times past would scarcely have been possible.

One of these ways seems to have been discovered in the city that its people find pleasure in referring to as "the heart of the commonwealth." The policemen there have been instructed to get into as close touch as possible with the foreign-speaking people along their beats. It is part of the program that the blue-coated officers shall try

## TO CONVINCE THE ALIENS THAT THEY ARE

real friends and that they are willing to aid them in every legitimate way, and especially that they stand ready to assure them the full protection of and fair treatment under the law.

This movement that is now going forward in Worcester might profitably have counterparts in Lowell and other cities. A police force, whose members were animated by a desire to be of real service to the new-comers from foreign shores who are here, and here apparently to stay, ought to be able to render assistance of supreme value in the battle against the propaganda of "Red" agitators.

## WOMEN AND CHILDREN FIRST

"Women and children first" is a principle to which every true American will respond even in cases less urgent than fire and shipwreck. But to most people this does not seem to have anything to do with legislation or politics. Governor Cox by his action as chief executive of Ohio, endeavored to change the public attitude on this matter by advocating legislation first for women and children. One of the governor's first official acts was to order a survey of the schools of the state and to this he devoted his time and personal effort, bringing out many instances in which the humane interests of women and children had been overlooked. He provided better schools for the children and higher pay for the teachers.

Governor Cox did not wait till women got the ballot to favor mother's pensions and other measures that meant much to women and children.

Women have the vote now, and it is safe to say, they will use it in favor of Cox, not only in Ohio but all over the country where is known his record in favor of humane legislation for "Women and children first."

## THE BRAZILIAN METHOD

Brazil proposes a venture into government trading. A measure recently introduced in the chamber of deputies gives the government "power to intervene as buyer or seller" in commercial markets.

The government does not aim at wiping out private business, to engage in state socialism as a substitute to individual initiative, but its sole intention is to stand between the Brazilian producer and loss, and, when necessary, to come between the Brazilian consumer and loss.

The idea is simply this: If prices drop below the cost of production, plus a fair profit, the government will buy enough of the products to hold up the price. When prices go too high so as to reach the profiteering stage, then the government steps in and sells enough of the products to lower prices.

There is no denying the fact that this is a practical method of overcoming varying conditions that occasionally enable one class of traders to victimize another.

## TO STOP AUTO THEFTS

The proposition to require every man who sells an automobile to be able to show a title deed to its ownership, would go far to stop the traffic in stolen autos now becoming so common. It is by far the best plan yet devised. It may be said that a record could be forged but that would be readily detected. The plan is that a title deed to the car shall be issued by the sales company to the original purchaser. That is to go with the car ever after, the names of the new owners, if any, being recorded on the back of the deed. It would be a simple process that would probably outwit the auto thieves.

Judging from the fact that a large amount of state funds are tied up in one of the banks ordered closed by the state commissioners, the new state treasurer has not proved to be an improvement upon his predecessor who was ousted. On November 2 the citizens will have an opportunity to elect a democrat to the office who will see that the state deposits are duly protected.

## THE BLOODY BLACK AND TANS

The British "Black and Tans" are leaving a trail of death and destruction after them in Ireland. That is what they were sent there for. The record of their outrages upon innocent people will form another dark page in the bloody history of Ireland under British rule.

It is probable that the board of public trustees of the Eastern Massachusetts street railway is just as anxious to make "Better Service, Cheaper Fares" something more than a sounding slogan. If they can be shown the way to do it.

The highway department may not be able to tell the cost of the pavement that it has laid, but there is a lot of people who would be willing to step forward and testify as to what they think it is worth.

A protective tariff may, or may not, be desirable, but it was not until Senator Harding made the discovery that anyone ever attempted to claim that it promoted lower prices.

A bunch of gamblers, hovering over the rolling bones and shouting for "seven" and "eleven" to "come," were probably a bit surprised when the police responded to their invitation.

"A dollar thoughtlessly spent is a dollar lost," says the advertisement of a Lowell bank. Worse than that, it encourages the loss of another one in the same way.

There is an old adage about "setting a thief to catch a thief." That seems to be what happened in Boston, where three policemen have been before a court charged with wholesale stealing.

Dry champagne is considered an Shellac is the product of an insect that feeds on the sap of trees.

## THE LOWELL SUN WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 29 1920

### SEEN AND HEARD

**Anti-Suffrage Devices**  
Other anti-suffrage devices recently invented by the skirted voters are:  
"No smoking in or near the voting booth."  
"Men must wear coat, collar and necktie."  
"Chicago dams."  
"Mirrors must be placed in each booth, and rocking chairs must be provided for women waiting their turn to vote."  
—Baltimore woman.

### Great To Be Crazy

"Oh, boy, I'd like to be a ham-sandwich so I could flirt with the chicks," said the defendant in some quite important case in the eastern circuit, and just for that the judge dismissed the case on the ground that the defendant was irresponsible. "Wonder what he takes to get like that," said the judge. "Dunno," replied the court officer, "but it sure must be great to be crazy," and it is recorded that the judge didn't note the sarcasm.

### Picking 'Em Up

A young man from Rockland, driving his car in the Hanovers, saw a woman in the road and picked up a diamond ring in the gutter. He drove a second diamond ring, and then at intervals he picked up a sapphire ring, a diamond brooch, a wrist watch, and other valuable jewelry, and finally a fancy velvet handbag. Then he met a worried woman in a limousine, looking for the jewelry that she had lost.

### Many Applications

That low rumbling noise you heard the other morning came from Indiana. It was but a rumbling of the mind of a stilted individual escaping from the men of that state when they happened upon the discovery of a law once enacted by a man-man legislature. Minus its legal technicalities, this rumbling noise, law says, is how the "voting booth" is to be kept high enough from the floor to "permit 18 inches of the voter's legs to be seen by the election officials in the polling place." This, it may be explained, was a law before the era of woman suffrage. The purpose was to prevent vote buyers from entering the booth with the voter to see that the ballot was marked according to the terms of the purchase. You see, if the official spotted four legs he knew someone was there aiding and abetting the honest voter to cast a ballot for the corrupt opposition. But now—Why, suffering cats! Indiana men are falling all over themselves hustling in applications for jobs as watchers at voting places. One Pike county precinct has applications from 75 men asking for the job. And there are only 7 men in that precinct. However, one blind man lives there.

### MAN ABOUT TOWN

Miss Marjorie Baker of Boston was scheduled as a speaker at the meeting of the Men's Club Tuesday evening. She is a Boston newspaper woman, who recently leaped into something like fame by donning man's clothes and spending a month on the decks of a sword fishing schooner cruising about over the rolling Atlantic. When she returned to Boston, an added pliancy was given to her adventure by her discovery that all of her female clothes had been stolen from her room during her absence. Exploits like that of Miss Baker are somewhat rare in the present era of newspaper work, although they used to be common enough. I have in mind an enterprising journalist in the good old days who voluntarily spent two months in jail as a means of getting a story. He didn't get the story, but he went after it, but it is perhaps almost needless to say that he did get a story and a good one. I remember another man who is still working on one of the Boston papers who prepared himself for the part of one of the down-trodden proletariat and then went the rounds of the fashionable churches to get the kind of welcome he would get. He was looking for experiences, of course and he found several of them. Another old-timer who could, if he would, spin a yarn worth hearing, was the first American representative of the journalistic era to greet Peary at Battle Harbor, off the coast of Labrador, on his return from his successful trip to the pole. To get to Boston from across the Maritime provinces, over the straits of Bellefleur and the length of Newfoundland and then sail up into the fabled waters of the north provided some interesting experiences. There are of course a plenty of other modern news-gatherers who have had their share of half-breadth "soaps" in "moving accidents by flood and field." One of these is the dean of the Boston newspaper corps, who served as a correspondent during the Franco-Prussian war and rode into Paris behind the victorious Germans in 1871.

It should be pleasant to have a reputation for being able to supply a sovereign panacea remedy for about all the different sorts of troubles that human flesh is heir to. Also, I think, most people will agree, there must be unpleasant features connected with the possession of such a reputation. Far and wide throughout the city has spread the idea that the chamber of commerce is a sort of universal provider of information that will straighten out all sorts of tangles. While ago it was appealed to for assistance in getting to America a couple of young people who had been held up in Egypt while on their way to Armenia. They are now on the ocean bound for "God's country." Inquiries about making investments flow in with frequency and plentifulness of rain drops in an April shower. They relate to all sorts of schemes for making buyers of stock rich, and the chamber of commerce is expected to furnish quickly and definitely information regarding the wisdom of putting cash into the various schemes. Some of the get-rich plans that are presented are at least unique, and it probably should turn up with a request to be told whether it would be well to invest in a company formed to utilize the canals on Mars. A visitor came into the rooms a few days ago who told a story that reflects a condition that doubtless a good many people have found themselves up against. He had a family of five children; the youngest being only about six months old. He was face to face with an old problem. Having been evicted from one tenement on account of his children, he said, he had tried to find another place to move into. As soon as a landlord found out the size of the family he lost all enthusiasm for turning his property over to the wonderment of the five children. "What shall I do with my children—shall I shoot them?" finally exclaimed the visitor in despair. I am not aware that the chamber officials were able to relieve him in this predicament.

### Proceeds With Charter Probe

water department to buy his own supplies or to employ his own purchasing agent.

Other witnesses heard last evening were Commissioner George E. Marchand, who favored the present form of charter; Chief Edward F. Saunders of the fire department, who advocated the complete motorization of the department and the installation of a new alarm system; Francis A. Connor, building inspector, who said that the building department should be a member of every public building commission; Supt. Robert Gardner of the water department; Chief Clerk John W. Crawford of the same department, and Chief Clerk Joseph F. Roark of the building department.

The meeting opened at 7.50. Messrs. Manseau and Drexler were absent.

### Commissioner Salmons

Commissioner John P. Salmons, first called, spoke in part as follows:  
"Gentlemen: In the present form of charter, because I think five men can administer the affairs of the city satisfactorily, I look over the water department with a deficit facing me, due, I believe, to the fact that the water rates were not raised when they should have been. Within two years I think the department will be self-sustaining, unless the unforeseen occurs."

In answer to a query from Mr. Farrington, Mr. Salmons said that he believed the head of the department of water works and fire protection should have complete control over those departments.

He would favor a water board, he said, providing the members were to be appointed by the commission. The present charter does not give him the power to appoint an advisory board.

The civil service is more of a detriment than a help to him, he said, because it interferes with the most efficient employment men.

Chairman James B. Casey said that he didn't see how the department could be self-sustaining in two years, when it had a deficit of \$74,000 on Sept. 1.

The commissioner said that he expected a large revenue from property taxes. This year the department will be relieved of a burden of \$40,000 interest and next year, \$31,000.

### \$750,000 in Loans

"People don't realize," said Mr. Salmons, "that \$750,000 has been borrowed by the department since 1910."

The average weekly payroll of the department is now \$3500, he said. Last year it averaged \$3200. He explained that last year the machine shop was closed down and the maintenance of meters was interfered with. This year 32 meters have been replaced.

"The whole plant has been falling away," said the commissioner. "I don't believe in shutting down departments to save money."

Mr. Salmons asked if the fire were now in shape. The commissioner replied in the negative, saying that 900 tons of coke must be replaced. He didn't want to borrow any more money now.

In response to a question by the chairman, Mr. Salmons said that he believed the fire and water departments were too much for one man. One man should be in charge of the water department and should buy his own supplies or have his own purchasing agent. On the matter of coal alone, he said, a great saving might be effected in this way.

Mr. Doran asked if he couldn't consult the present purchasing agent about those matters. Mr. Salmons said he could but that he hasn't been able to get coal in proper amounts and the coal that has been secured has been poor.

### "You mean that you are not getting co-operation?"

asked Mr. Campbell. Mr. Salmons replied "a recommendation" replied Mr. Salmons.

Mr. O'Donnell said that it might be well to remember that the purchasing agent or the commissioner of any department cannot enter into a contract without the authorization of the municipal council.

Supt. Robert Gardner of the water department said that he had little to add to what the commissioner had said, except that he believed in the efficacy of the old water board of five men.

Power men are now being employed by the department under the old charter, said Mr. Gardner. For instance, where there used to be 10 or 15 men digging in the streets there are now only 15 or 16.

If the present council acted as a water board and directed the policy

### of the department, there wouldn't be any need of a separate water board, the superintendent said.

Mr. O'Donnell said that Mr. Gardner's testimony showed that the present charter had not been lived up to in that it had not been given a fair trial.

"If it hasn't had a chance yet," said the chairman, "how long is it going to take, I wonder?"

"To answer that," said Mr. O'Donnell, "I should have to say some very sharp things, which I don't want to do."

### Chief Clerk Crawford

John W. Crawford, chief clerk of the water department, was then called. The income of the department this year so far has shown a great increase as the result of the advance in rates, he testified.

Unless new loans are made in the meantime, he said, the department will be relieved of the payment annually of \$46,000 in interest charges within the next two years.

Mr. Crawford asked if the laying of new mains to replace old ones had not been neglected in the past few years. Mr. Crawford said there hadn't been as much work done in this direction as there was formerly done.

### Chief Edward F. Saunders

Edward F. Saunders, chief of the fire department, was next called. He said that the department is now suffering for want of proper apparatus and equipment.

Mr. Miliken asked what rating the national board of underwriters gave the station. The chief said "A."

"That isn't a very good rating, is it?" "No."

"What did they recommend to put the city in a higher class?"

"First, a new fire alarm system with the nucleus of the system centered in a segregated, fireproof building, recommended building at the corner of Cross and Fletcher streets to the council some time ago. At the present time the fire alarm system is on the top floor of the central station right near the carpenter shop. If a dangerous fire broke out there, the apparatus would be gone."

"It was also recommended back in 1914," said the chief, "that the department be absolutely motorized, that various houses be changed over and that new equipment be added."

The double platoon system has called for 35 more men, he said. The present payroll of the department is about \$3600 a month.

Mr. Miliken asked if more efficient work could be done if the chief were the executive head of the department with the city council merely a legislative body.

"I'm not prepared to answer that," replied Chief Saunders.

If there are any new policies to be inaugurated in the department, they must be first approved by the commission, the chief said. If he refuses to sanction them, they do not go into effect.

### Commissioner Marchand

Commissioner George E. Marchand of the department of public property and licenses was next called.

The department, he said, was practically a hospital for the other department.

Asked which form of charter, the old or new, he thought more efficient, Mr. Marchand said he believed the present form more efficient. But after all, he said, good government is a question of men, not charters.

The present charter, he believed gives the mayor a veto power in a way, because of the emergency clause attached to a majority of loan orders. Many loans that might otherwise have gone through in the past two years have been held up by the mayor.

Mr. Marchand said that he had spent \$90,000 up to Sept. 1 out of an appropriation of \$110,000. His men are now working on loans, he said. He hoped to be able to place out his appropriation in this way.

"You're putting up a 14-room addition to the Morey school for \$184,000," said the chairman. "Do you suppose they're coming anywhere near that figure on the new high school?"

"I couldn't say," replied the commissioner.

The chairman asked just what authority the commissioner had over each of the "lengthy array of departments" which came under him.

### His Sub-Departments

The commissioner said that he had a little control over the license department, but the city messenger's

### and city hall departments came under his immediate supervision.

The city messenger's department is functioning very efficiently, he said.

"How arduous are the duties of the city messenger?" asked the chairman. "What does he do for his salary of \$1800?"

"The messenger is always on duty ready for whatever work is brought to him. I understand, however, that all the coal brought by the city is weighed by him. He makes an annual report to me."

The chairman asked the commissioner whether his department could take care of school buildings more efficiently than the school department. He replied that he believed his department could do the work more efficiently.

Mr. Marchand favored transferring the plumbing inspector from the health department to the public property department.

"Do you think the health of the public would be taken care of to the same extent?" asked Mr. Miliken.

"Yes, sir," replied Mr. Marchand. "There are now 11 employees in the buildings department," he said.

"I can't see any fault with this charter," said the commissioner, "as far as my two years' experience has allowed me to observe it."

### Chairman Casey

Chairman Casey asked Mr. Marchand if he believed he should have appointive power, over his subordinates rather than the city council.

"The men under me have worked very faithfully," replied the commissioner. "We have been like a family gathering. If I did have appointive power, I should choose the men now under me. We have been almost like brothers."

"There's one good thing about this charter," said the chairman, "it does provide for family gatherings."

In conclusion, Mr. Marchand said he believed in a definite tenure of office for department heads.

### Francis A. Connor

Francis A. Connor, building inspector, said that his department was governed practically entirely by the building laws. He consults the com-

### missioner on his work and they have always agreed.

If they should not agree, the commissioner's opinion would prevail.

Mr. Miliken asked Mr. Connor if he thought the present building laws were adequate to protect the public.

Mr. Connor replied in the affirmative.

Mr. Connor said that he believed the inspector of buildings should be a member of every building commission. With the exception of enforcing the state building laws, the inspector has no power to protect the city's interests in public construction.

### Chief Clerk Roark

Joseph F. Roark, chief clerk of the public property department, said that he was the custodian of all records of the department and issued permits unless the latter are of such a nature as to require the attention of the inspector. He explained the steps necessary for the alterations of a building which has been partially burned.

It was announced that the park commissioner, superintendent of parks, chairman of the board of cemetery commissioners, their superintendent, the license commissioners and their clerk, the inspector of wires, the sealer of weights and measures and the city weigher would be invited to appear before the commission at its meeting next Friday evening.

Adjourned at 10.05 p. m.

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## STREET RAILWAY FARES

Discussed at Meeting—Talk on City Planning—Trip to Alaska

The street railway situation was the subject of much personal discussion between members of the chamber of commerce gathered for the first fall meeting and dinner of the organization in Memorial hall last evening. Sec. George F. Wells, in a report on the chamber's activities, referred to the fare question as a "delicate" one and expressed the opinion that its solution would lie in the adoption of lower rates and the provision of better service for the urban zone of the city. He also said that he believed that the problem was one that called for skillful handling and that it would be best not to attempt to force the street railway company into making concessions. Dudley L. Page, another speaker, gave an interesting account of recent travels in Alaska. W. J. Donald of the American City Consultants of New York, spoke at length on "City Planning."

President W. N. Goodell, in opening the meeting, welcomed the members back to the activities of the chamber after vacation, and called upon Secretary Wells to present his report in which was set forth in detail the achievements of the chamber during the summer and the plans that have been formulated for future activities.

## Tells of Alaskan Trip

President Goodell then asked the members to discuss any subjects in which they might be interested or offer suggestions in regard to the chamber's work. When there was no response he asked, "How would you like to discuss what we have done or propose to do?" No response came to his suggestion and he observed, "That gives us assurance that you think we have been pretty good." He then introduced Dudley L. Page to tell about a "stroll" that he had taken "up into the northwest last summer."

Mr. Page told of the train preceding the one on which he was journeying into Seattle running over an embankment, causing \$100,000 damage, and killing several people. He described a beautiful trip along the Alaskan coast, and mentioned a stop at Juneau, with its fulled mines that once extended far out under the sea. He caught his first glimpse of the glaciers, he said, while traveling over the Chugach railroad to Dover. Later he took a 125-mile auto ride "over roads that are worse than any in Lowell." At the end of his ride he reached a settlement where the mail arrives only three times a year. Then there was a long trip on horseback, with camping out at night in places where mosquitoes were abundant. The address closed with a description of the trip back into California and the inspection of a silver mine in Nevada.

President Goodell then referred to the fact that a new charter for the city is in a formative state, and said

## ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

by Olive Roberts Barton

Mr. Scribble Scratch couldn't imagine what was the matter with everybody when lessons, dragged and nobody seemed to know anything at all. When he asked Cutie Cottontail what the head of a country was called, Cutie answered absently, "Cabbage."

Fall fever had got into the last mother's son of them and nearly every one had had his turn in the corner wearing the dunce cap Nancy made.

But Scamper Squirrel's brain was working overtime for a good excuse to get out of school without having the

Spots—big black ones were all over Cutie's soft brown coat! Suddenly the plan he had been searching for all morning popped into his head. He got very busy then, dipping his pen into his inkwell and shaking it while he whistled to the little rabbit boy to sit sideways, and later on, he asked him to turn the other way round, all the while writing and then shaking his pen for all he was worth.

Pretty soon Blarke Mink across the aisle looked up from his spell and



"LOOK AT CUTIE COTTONTAIL, HE'S GOT THE MEASLES!" MARKIE MINK SCREAMED WILDLY

talry schoolmaster send Nick, the truant officer, after him.

He wrote his name in all his books with flourishes, and his address, too, just to help him think. Then he wrote poems about returning the books to him if they were lost. Every time he wrote a word he shook his pen without watching where the ink was flying.

But happening to glance up in the midst of this absorbing business, something queer on Cutie Cottontail's back caught his eye. Then he grunted.

that the chamber had sought, all over the country to secure authorities to speak on subjects connected with city management. He introduced Dr. W. J. Donald.

## Talks on City Planning

"Building garages next to apartments, opening funeral parlors among residences and the committing of similar crimes," said Dr. Donald in opening his address.

"The home owner can protect himself against loss by fire by means of fire apparatus and insurance. There is no insurance against loss due to misplaced buildings except a zoning ordinance. No city would be without adequate fire apparatus, such a motor

used fire engine costing at least \$10,000. And no city can afford to be without a zoning ordinance, which, incidentally, would cost less than the fire engine. Surely the home owner is entitled to this form of protection against loss of property value, especially as there is no form of insurance that covers this sort of risk.

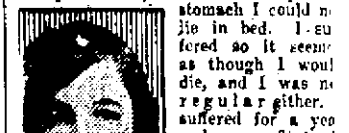
"The stabilizing of real estate values by means of zoning has a definite bearing on housing. The investor in mortgages will more readily invest if he knows that property values will not be destroyed by misplaced neighbors. There will be fewer vacancies among rented properties. It will be easier to sell a home in a definitely established residence neighborhood. New York city mortgage authorities say that investors suffer fewer losses in cities protected by zoning ordinances.

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Fewer loans are called at the end of the mortgage term. It is safe to loan up to a close margin on a house and lot where a zoning law applies.

Definition of "Zoning" Dr. Donald defined "zoning" as determining the character and intensity of the use to which various districts of a city are to be put. He declared that the average zoning ordinance restricted certain districts for the building of residences and excluded from those areas all factories, stores and other buildings which would impair the value of the residences. He also pointed out that the plan calls for commercial and industrial districts with limitations which protect the enterprises restricted to their bounds.

The speaker showed how the zoning ordinance regulates the height of structures in the various districts. One consequence of zoning is that it makes it possible for citizens to own their homes in safety," Dr. Donald continued. "If more money be borrowed on a house and lot, this money is better to make the original purchase and it makes the purchase safer. In more than one city visited, it has been observed that skilled workmen and executives of industrial plants continue to rent or live in rooms because there is no section of the city in which they may safely buy and build."

"The president of a carpenters' union in one city supported zoning because the house next door to his was to be converted into a combination apartment and funeral parlor. A garage may ruin an apartment house or a residence street. In one instance, a New York city apartment house fell in value from \$100,000 to \$50,000 and a consequent loss in city revenue of \$1200 annually. The value of the garage was only \$10,000. In almost any city one may find land values falling in formerly good neighborhoods owing to the coming of a butcher shop or a store, a garage or a gasoline filling station, an apartment or an industry."

ITALIAN TAG DAY A tag day will be conducted in this city Saturday by the local Italian-speaking people for the relief of their fellow countrymen in Italy who have suffered immensely from recent earthquakes. The committee in charge of the affair is headed by Frank Zabba, chairman, who expects that at least 50 men and women will endeavor to raise funds through public subscriptions. Mayor Thompson has given the committee permission to conduct the tag day.

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## Shoe Section

WOMEN'S COMFORT SHOES—Some plain toes, others with tip and rubber heels, turn stitched. These shoes are slightly damaged. \$4.00 value. Special ..... \$2.25

WOMEN'S COMFORT LOW CUTS for house wear. These are slightly damaged. Special ..... \$1.29

WOMEN'S FELT SHOES—Some all felt sole, others with turn leather soles, all sizes, 3 to 7. Regular price \$2.50. Special ..... \$1.59

WOMEN'S SHOES—Small sizes, 2 1/2 to 4, mostly button. \$4.00 value. Special ..... \$2.00

CHILDREN'S TAN CALF LACE HI-CUT SHOES on wide fitting last, all sizes, 8 1/2 to 11. \$3.00 value. Special \$2.49

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## Dry Goods Section

Creme—Heavy crinkled quality, in white and colors. 39c value, at ..... 25¢

Cotton Dress Goods—Printed patterns and dark colors. 36 inches wide. 29c value, at ..... 19¢

Amoskeag Romper Cloth, in remnants, plain check or stripe patterns, light and dark colors. 59c value, at ..... 35¢

Cretone—Heavy grade and handsome patterns, all colors, a yard wide. 89c value, at ..... 49¢ Yard

Yard Wide Percale—Light, medium and dark colors, neat patterns, suitable for aprons or house dresses. 39c value, at ..... 25¢

Gingham—32 inches wide, fine weave and mostly plaid patterns, remnants. 59c value, at ..... 35¢

Dress Gingham—Especially nice for school clothes, new designs of pretty colors, good length, mill remnants. 39c value, at ..... 29¢

Tudor Cretone, in all the fall designs and colors, in lengths suitable for overdrapes, couch covers, laundry bags, etc. 49c value, at ..... 29¢

White Mainsack, soft and fine, a yard wide and in full pieces, one case only. 39c value, at ..... 25¢ Yard

Domest Flannel—Heavy and bleached, remnants. 39c value, at ..... 25¢

Crash Toweling—Heavy and absorbent, good linen finish, with colored double border or all plain white. 29c value, at ..... 19¢

Turkish Towels—Large size, absorbent and bleached white. 25c value, at ..... 19¢ Each or 3 for 50¢

Colored Damask—"Bates" quality, several colors and a choice variety of patterns, full pieces. \$1.50 value, at \$1.19

Priority Sheets—Bleached, full size, 72x90, one and three inch hems, a limited quantity. \$2.00 value, at ..... \$1.55

Unbleached Cotton, in large remnants, good quality, equal to "Lockwood" grade. 32c value, at ..... 25¢

48 in. Pepperell Cotton, unbleached, standard, for sheets and general household uses. 49c value, at ..... 30¢

Twilled Cotton—Bleached and heavy, 36 inches wide. 39c value, at ..... 25¢

Seamless Sheeting—Best grade, two yards wide. 98c value, at ..... 72¢

Bleached Curtain Scrim with fancy woven double border. 25c value, at ..... 19¢

Long Cloth, 36 inches wide, soft fine quality. 49c value, at ..... 35¢ Yard

50 Pairs of Blue and White. Size 60x80. All white with pink or blue striped borders, bound with white cotton to match. \$9.00 value, at ..... \$6.98

Crochet Bed Spreads of extra large size, all white, several patterns, not seconds. \$5.00 value, at ..... \$3.89

Bed Blankets for double beds, heavy and warm, white, gray and tan with borders of pink or blue. \$4.50 value, at \$3.29

Jersey Union Suits for women, lace trimmed, regular and extra large sizes. 59c value, at ..... 35¢ Each

Children's Vests and Pants of fine fleeced jersey, regular and extra sizes. 80c value, at ..... 49¢ Each

Burton Hose for women, medium weight, white only. 39c value, at ..... 20¢ Pair

2000 Yards Bleached Cotton in remnants of good length. 29c value, at ..... 20¢

## Ready-to-Wear Section

Drawers, made of good wearing cotton, trimmed with hamburger or lace ruffles. 79c value, at ..... 49¢

White Petticoats, cut full and well made, hamburger or lace trimmings. \$2.50 value, at ..... \$1.50

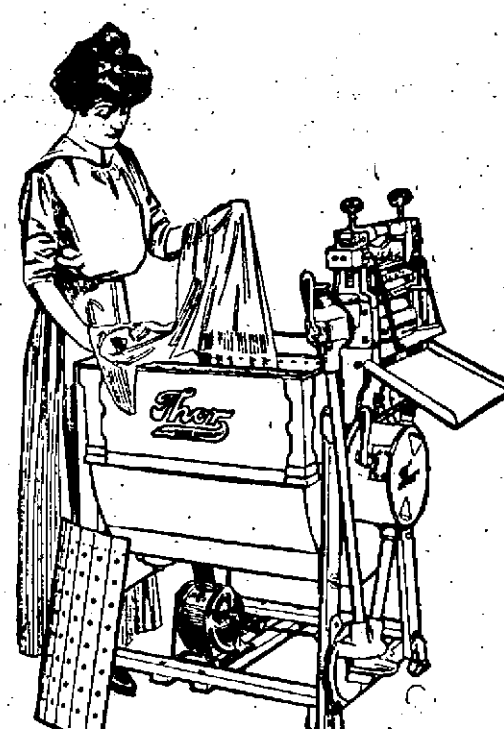
Georgette and Crepe de Chine Blouses, good quality material and new styles, white and colors, also pongee silk waists. \$3.98 value, at ..... \$1.98

Sateen Skirts, all black, figured and plain colors, serviceable for fall and winter wear. \$1.50 value, at ..... 79¢

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## DEMOCRATS MEET

Woodbury Welcomes Women in Address at N. H. State Convention

CONCORD, N. H., Sept. 29.—Gordon Woodbury of Bedford, candidate for congress, in addressing as president, the democratic state convention here today, began by welcoming the women voters and said that, while the party congratulated the women upon receiving the right of suffrage he congratulated the men more, because of the good influence women would be sure to exert in politics. He called up with pride the striking fact that it was the democratic state of Tennessee

that finally made certain ratification of the 19th amendment. Mr. Woodbury pointed to the record of nearly eight years, with a triumphant war fought in the interim, as proof of democratic capacity in affairs of government and lauded President Wilson as an "inspired hero—greatest of men since Washington and Lincoln." He reviewed the record of President Wilson's administration and urged the League of Nations, conceived and made possible by President Wilson, who in this rose to "greater heights of vision and leadership than even he had previously attained."

**FREE SERVICE SCHOOL**  
Seventy-Two Men Register for Courses in Knights of Columbus School—Registration Open to Everybody  
Registration for the Knights of Columbus Free Service school opened last evening in room 27 of the Associate building and before the books were closed for the evening 72 men, most of them world war veterans, had been enrolled to take up various courses.

The registration on the opening evening was unexpectedly large. It will continue every evening for the rest of the week from 7:30 to 9:30. An effort will be made to have as many men as possible enroll in each course so that there will be a sufficient number to warrant opening classes. The committee, of course, will be unable to open classes for which only a few men are registered. Grand Knight George E. Briggs and Dennis Sullivan were in charge of the registration last evening and were kept busy from 7:30 until 10 o'clock. The fact is emphasized that the K. of C. school is open to everybody regardless of race, creed or color. It isn't necessary for a man to register merely because the cause of information, which is gladly furnished to all interested.

## BREAK IN RANKS OF LYNN UNIONS

LYNN, Sept. 29.—A break in the ranks of the shoemakers' unions which have refused to enter a proposed agreement with the manufacturers was announced today and Eugene A. Maynard, general agent of the Cutlers' local union, expressed the belief that all the unions would join in the plan at the meeting Friday night.

The break came in the union of the Lasting Machine Operators' union in instructing its delegates to the Friday night meeting to vote in favor of participation. The pact proposed provides for continuing the industry here for the next 19 months on present wage and working conditions, while unions objecting to its acceptance have demanded that wage advances be made now or next May.

The local unions of lasters, McKay stitchers, pokings room employees and shoe fitters, which are on record as opposing the plan, have called special meetings for tonight to consider what instructions they shall give their delegates to the joint meeting of Friday night.

The industry here has been stagnant for several days as a result of the uncertainty over the conditions under which it is to be operated, manufacturers refusing to start new runs of shoes while the issue is in doubt.

## COAL DEALERS AND HANDLERS CONFER

A conference between the local coal dealers and coal handlers was held last evening at the Richardson hotel in connection with the recent demand of the handlers for an increase in wages of 40 per cent. Both sides were well represented and at the close of the meeting it was decided that both parties would investigate conditions in five cities and later report together the result of their investigations. The cities chosen were Worcester, Brockton, Lawrence, Haverhill and Manchester, N. H.

Representing the coal handlers at the conference was a wage committee headed by Secretary Telephone Cardinal, while the firms represented were

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## Laws Cannot be Suspended

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thorities themselves make a change.

Commissioner John F. Salmon of the department of water, works and fire protection came out today with a statement that he would vote to abolish or suspend the civil service as it applied to laborers in his department if he were given the opportunity. Commissioner Dennis A. Murphy of the street department and previously the chief thing last Friday evening at the charter commission hearing; Commissioner George E. Marchand has had more or less difficulty in his department of public property with the working out of civil service rules, while Mayor Perry D. Thompson has not been wholly exempt from the same difficulties with reference to his police-women, health department nurses and health yard laborers. Commissioner James E. Doherty has no occasion to employ laborers in the department of finance, so that his situation does not reach him as closely as other members of the council.

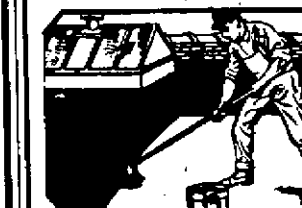
In discussing the matter this morning Commissioner Salmon said: "The civil service laws, as I told the charter commission last evening, have been a detriment rather than of assistance to me in the administration of the affairs of the water department. I can't go ahead and employ the men whom I think best fitted for particular kinds of work, men that I know are good."

When you are given a few names by the civil service people and are told that you must choose from those and those alone, there's no certainty that you are going to get a good man. I had an idea that the city council had the right to suspend the operation of the rules for a short period, if it saw fit, but evidently it hasn't. If it had, I should certainly vote to suspend them until various matters could be straightened out satisfactorily."

Within the past year the situation seems to have become more aggravated than ever. Hardly a week passes that the civil service people do not find that one or more city employees are being illegally employed and order their pay stopped. The bulk of Commissioner Murphy's daily mail is very frequently made up of registered letters from the civil service commission, notifying him that he must suspend laborers in his department. The same situation holds true to a lesser degree in the mayor's and Commissioner Marchand's departments.

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to alter the situation so far as legislation goes. The act was accepted six years ago and cannot be changed now. Col. Carmichael maintains that the law can be changed by the legislature, but any great burden on the map who are at the head of the city's departments. The members of the municipal council on the other hand, maintain that the fault is with the civil service. In the meantime, difficulties remain and derogatory remarks on the part of the city council members continue unabated.

## SEN. HARDING ASSAILS ONE-MAN GOVERNMENT

ASHLAND, Ky., Sept. 29.—A federal government conducted under the coordinated powers of the constitution and always taking the whole American people into its confidence, was pictured by Senator Harding here today as the ideal toward which his party would work if returned to power.

Assailing "one-man government" he also spoke for greater care that federal appropriations be made for the good of the whole nation rather than to win local favor. "Pork barrel" river and harbor legislation, he condemned, particularly, and made a plea for an inland waterway policy that would make of the country's rivers a valuable communication system in co-ordination with the railways.

"I very much wish the people to know my conception of the high place for which the republican party has proposed my name," he said.

"I cannot express myself too strongly against one-man government with an untrammelled, centralized power. I am against the spirit of encroachment or assumption which may lead one of the greatest departments of our government under the constitution to invade or assume the functions of another. Washington warned against it in his farewell address."

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ed to believe in Washington. I do believe in the caution he uttered. Our government must express the will of the people, not the will of the chief executive.

"I did not wish criticize the enlarged executive powers in the great war emergency. In most instances, I voted for them. I only object to continuing these extraordinary war powers after the war is over."

"When I am elected, there is going to be that regard and respect for congress which the constitution contemplates and congress must, in turn, respect the rights and obligations of the executive. But I mean to do more than co-ordinate and co-operate with congress. I am going to consult and converse with the men and women of America. I would rather trust the great under current of American thought and conviction than follow the greatest propagandist program ever inaugurated."

"I believe in expert advice in solving problems which require it. I believe in more than one line to the sounding

board of deliberate public opinion. I believe in the great ship of state sailing down the river of the United States."

French engineer army officers have found petroleum in Greece.

## NEW HAIR REMOVER IN DEMAND, SAY DRUGGISTS

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| Top Round Steak, lb. .... 48¢      | Bridal Veil Flour ..... \$1.98  |
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| Boston Top Roll, no bone, 23¢      | Macaroni ..... 15¢              |
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## HOUSE OF CORRECTION

Two Men Sentenced in Police Court—Autoist Arraigned and Fined

Antonio Tigiere of Cady street was found guilty in police court today on a complaint charging indecent conduct and ordered to serve five months in the house of correction, from which sentence he appealed. He was ordered under bonds of \$100 for the superior court. Four women were produced by the government as witnesses against the defendant. One of them, a mother of a young school girl, testified that Tigiere had threatened to assault her daughter.

**Robbed Stranger**  
Louis Bronger, charged with larceny of \$25 and with impersonating an officer of the city of Lowell, was ordered to serve three months in the

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house of correction; two on the larceny charge and one on the impersonation charge. The police claim that Basikos met a stranger in a restaurant showed him a police badge and said he was an officer. Defendant took the stranger to his room and provided lodging for him for the night. Basikos committed the larceny when the stranger was sleeping.

**Autoist Fined**  
Stanley Kasick was charged with operating an automobile on Merrimack street, near Monument square, on the night of Sept. 22, without a license or registration, with no headlights or rear lights. He pleaded guilty to operating without a license, but not guilty on the other two counts. A fine of \$10 was imposed for operating without a license and \$5 each on the light complaints.

## Violation of Liquor Laws

An appeal was entered. The jail sentence was imposed mainly because of evidence brought out by the prosecution which showed that Vlahos had

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been arrested before for illegal sale and ordered to pay a fine of \$75. Officer Spillane testified that he bought Jamaica ginger and tonic in Vlahos store in Fletcher street and that when the officers later searched the store they found 17 bottles of Jamaica ginger in a safe. Defendant said that he kept it in a safe so that his clerks would not sell it to everybody and to keep them from drinking it. Edward V. Soukjian, a first street storekeeper, was ordered to pay a fine of \$100 for the illegal sale of intoxicating liquor, but through his counsel entered an appeal and was ordered under \$300 bonds for trial in superior court. Officers Clark, Winn and Conway said they visited his store about 4 o'clock on the afternoon of Sept. 19. Officer Conway was instructed to enter the store and ask for a bottle of Jamaica ginger and tonic to mix for drink, which he said he did after asking for "moonshine." Soukjian and a witness in the store at the time testified that Officer Conway entered the



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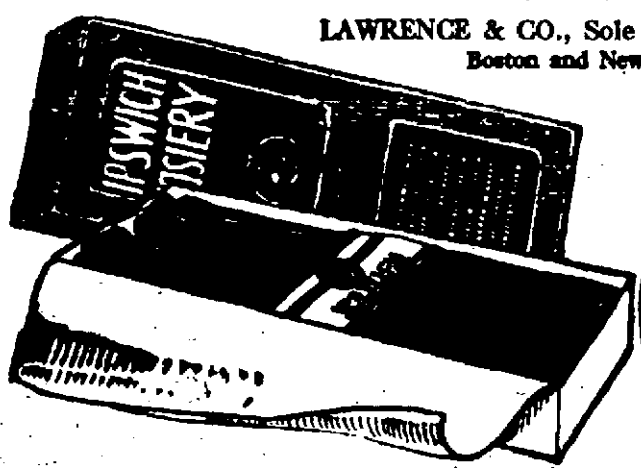
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store and asked for Jamaica ginger, saying that he was very sick, and asked for the tonic for his "kid." All three officers denied this and the court decided that inasmuch as the officer mentioned "moonshine" first, the defendant must have known that he was selling the goods for beverage purposes.

Arakel Arakelian, said to be the owner of a small store in John street, and Charles Garabadian, a clerk in the same store, pleaded not guilty to illegal keeping and illegal sale of intoxicating liquor respectively. It was in this case that the counsel for the defense produced a city hall record to show that Arakelian was not the owner of the store in question and that the charge of illegal keeping could not be preferred against him. Consequently he was discharged. Garabadian, the clerk, was ordered to pay a fine of \$100. Officer Paul Spillane testified that he entered the store on the evening of Sept. 21 and asked for Jamaica ginger and tonic to mix and that Garabadian sold it to him. Officer Spillane then notified Officers Winn and Clark and all three searched the store and found 114 bottles of Jamaica ginger and a two quart bottle partly filled with moonshine.

Charles Stahl, owner of a store on Crosby street, pleaded not guilty to illegal sale of intoxicating liquor on September 25, but was found guilty and ordered to pay a fine of \$100. He entered an appeal and was ordered under \$300 for the superior court. He was not represented by counsel, but conducted his own defense. The officers testified that Officer Spillane bought Jamaica ginger and tonic in the store and that when they searched it later they found more. Defendant claimed that Spillane entered his store with hat and coat off, seemingly excited and asked for Jamaica ginger for

a friend who was sick. The officers denied this. When defendant put his wife on the stand to testify, the court mentioned that the stories of husband and wife did not coincide.

Arthur J. Mellevier, charged with illegal selling was ordered to pay a fine of \$100. He is the proprietor of a store in Woburn street, South Lowell. Officer Spillane testified that he bought Jamaica ginger and tonic there on September 21. He also told the court that he mentioned "Jakey" before he paid for the purchase. Officers Clark and Winn later searched the store and found 13 bottles.

Michael Paraskopoulous, charged with illegal sale, pleaded guilty and was fined \$100. He works in a store in Church street and sold Jamaica ginger and tonic to Officer Spillane for 75 cents.

George Perry, alias, and Louis Prentiss, alias, both charged with illegal sale on Sept. 24, were granted continuances to obtain counsel until Oct. 6.

Francis J. Boyle, charged with illegal sale of liquor, was again put over for trial on Oct. 6.

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## Odd Fellows Parade in Hub

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was the closing feature of the annual communications of the Sovereign Grand Lodge of the order, the members of which reviewed the hosts who have multiplied from the small band formed in this city a century ago.

The marching thousands, with a hundred blaring bands, and several scores of floats symbolizing events in the history of Odd Fellowship of the city or the nation, were reviewed four times. Governor Coolidge and his staff held post at the state house and acknowledged the greeting of Grand Marshal William H. Oakes as the marchers reached the top of Beacon Hill. Mayor Peters, himself a member of the order, reviewed the marching members at city hall and, after passing under review of the sovereign grand lodge, the marchers were given a final inspection by Grand Marshal Oakes and W. C. Guernsey of Birmingham, N. Y., the latter commander-in-chief of the Patriarchs Militant section.

Starting early in the afternoon, it was estimated that it would be almost sundown before the last of the marchers fell out of parade formation. Four hours was the time estimated for the parade to pass a given point. Special trains bringing the Odd Fellows to the city came from points in New England this morning and most regular trains carried extra cars.

## CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

The chamber of commerce has arranged for placing with all the leading printers of the city of an electrotype block that may be used without expense by business men in having their addresses printed on their correspondence envelopes. Each block

contains a space into which the name and address of each particular firm or individual may be worded, and beneath it are the words "Lowell, Mass. The City of Diversified Industries." A meeting of the Lowell Retail Druggists' association was held at the chamber's rooms today.

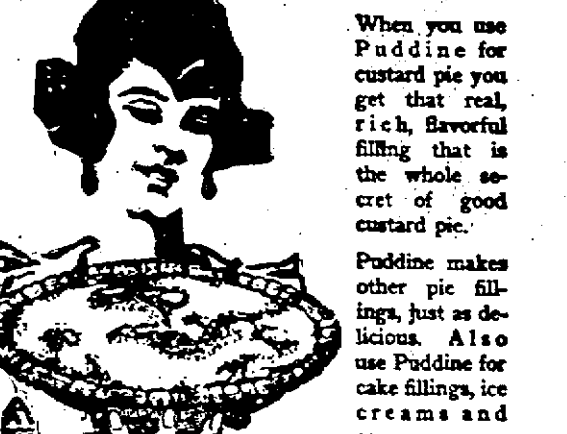


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## PRES. WILSON IN CAMPAIGN

Issues Statement on League  
of Nations and Explains  
Article 10

Declares U. S. Not Bound to  
Aid England in Holding  
Ireland in Subjection

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.—The first public document in the presidential campaign to be issued at the White House was made public today. It dealt with the League of Nations and was in the form of a letter to E. M. Swartz of Los Angeles, written by Secretary Tumulty at President Wilson's dictation.

The White House letter was in reply to one to the president in which Mr. Swartz declared that the forces supporting the republican ticket were outwitting that if Article X of the league covenant was ratified the United States "would be bound to support England in holding Ireland under subjection."

The letter to Mr. Swartz follows: "In reply to your letter of the 26th of September, I beg to say that the identical questions contained in your letter, with reference to Article X and the right of self-determination found in the covenant of the League of Nations were placed before the president while he was on his western trip last year and fully answered by him. The president directs me to call your attention to the following questions and answers given by him to the press at that time, which I think satisfactorily answer your inquiries. The questions and answers are as follows:

"Q—Under the covenant does the nation obligate itself to assist any member of the league in putting down a rebellion of its subjects or conquered peoples?"

"A—It does not.  
"Q—Under the covenant can this nation independently recognize a government whose people seek to achieve or have achieved their independence from a member of the United States in a matter of this kind is in no way limited or affected by the covenant of the League of Nations.

"Q—Under the covenant are those subject nations or peoples only that are mentioned in the peace treaty entitled to the right of self-determination, or does the league possess the right to accord a similar privilege to other subject nation or people."

"A—It was not possible for the peace conference to act with regard to the self-determination of any territories except those which had belonged to the defeated empires, but in the covenant of the League of Nations, it has set up for the first time in Article XI a forum to which all claims of self-determination which are likely to disturb the peace of the world or the good understanding between nations upon which the peace of the world depends, can be brought.

"Q—Why was the case of Ireland not heard at the peace conference? And what is your opinion on the subject of self-determination of Ireland?"

"A—The case of Ireland was not

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## FARMERS' FAIR AND EXHIBIT

Attractive Collection of Flow-  
ers, Fruits and Vegetables  
at Community Club

A riot of autumn color, of flowers, fruits and vegetables, such as is seldom seen within doors, greeted visitors at the opening of the Farmers' fair and exhibit of the Middlesex North Agricultural society in the Community Service club house in Dutton st. at noon yesterday. All of the usual elements of a harvest-home exhibition had been assembled ready for inspection, and just outside the door of entrance was a big lithograph poster showing a red-cheeked farmer's maid with a glowing red ear of corn not far away from tempting lips.

Mayor Perry D. Thompson started the exhibition ball rolling with a short address in which he said that the display was such that it caused his mouth to water so that it was difficult for him to express his thoughts.

"I feel," continued the mayor, "that the farmers in the vicinity belong to us of the city and that we belong to you. We could not live as comfortably as we do here in Lowell if it were not for the farmers. The cry for a long time has been for a suitable public market for the city. Such a display as this is bound to bring to the minds of the people who see it the sort of an institution that we should all work together form the future. I do not know of any class in a position to do as much for the community as the farmers, and I look for the time when they will be able to come into the city and ask, yes demand, from the municipal government the things that they want."

### Pumpkins and Squashes

Immediately inside of the entrance to the club house is a big display of huge pumpkins and squashes, some of them with the initials or the names of the growers in raised letters on their surfaces. Just across the way, and occupying a large part of the Dutton street side of the room, is the floral exhibit of Morse & Heals. There are numerous baskets of beautifully shaded gladioli, palms, ferns, and a large basket of wonderfully attractive roses.

Opposite this floral exhibit is a display of monster Spaulding rose potatoes, anyone of which would serve as a meal for a small family. The potatoes were dug yesterday by John E. Foster of Lowell. The largest of them weighs a pound and seven sixteenths, and the net weight of six of the size is six pounds and seven ounces.

The display of apples proves that it is not necessary to go to the west for the finest specimens of the fruit. Not even the apple that caused trouble for Eve could have been more tempting than some of the specimens on display that were raised in the vicinity of Lowell. Particularly noticeable is the long table occupied by fruit raised by the Middlesex fruit farm of West Ac-



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"I have certainly had my share of suffering during the past two years," she continued. "My digestion was so bad that I had to give up the things I liked best and to tell the truth I could hardly find a thing to eat that agreed with me. There was a constant burning like fire in my stomach and I would bloat up so bad with gas that sometimes I felt like I just couldn't bear it any longer. The pressure on my heart was something awful and I would get so short of breath I felt like I was smothering to death. I had dreadful cramps in my stomach and at times my whole body ached and I thought I would go frantic from pain."

"I suffered badly from constipation, and my head ached every day that came. My complexion became pale and

things of color on their upper surfaces that are reminiscent of an opal.

The effect on the eye of a display of dahlias by Mrs. M. Downs can only be compared to that which would come from the flashing of a ray of sunlight broken up by a prism before the eye.

The possibilities of the hop vine for purposes of ornamentation are shown in connection with the extensive exhibit of numerous kinds of vegetable of H. W. Foster.

### Awarding the Prizes

Judging of the exhibits occupied the time during a part of the afternoon. H. D. Gates of Milford, Conn., was the judge. Some of the prizes awarded were as follows:

General Display of Fruit and Vegetables: 1st, 2nd and 3rd prizes in the order named to H. W. Foster, Lowell; L. W. Goldwalthe and Son, Dunstable; George Trull, North Tewksbury. The prizes were \$35, \$20 and \$25.

Fruit Display: 1st, 2nd and 3rd prizes in the order named, to E. F. Dickinson, Orchardside farm, Billerica; Carl Perham, Chelmsford Centre; A. W. Jenks, Middlesex Fruit farm, West Accon, Mass.; William Adams, Orchard farm, Chelmsford Centre. The prizes were \$20, \$15, \$10 and \$5.

sallow and I fell off a lot in weight. My nerves finally collapsed and I would be awake at night sometimes till 2 and 3 o'clock in the morning unable to close my eyes. I was almost a nervous wreck. In pain nearly all the time night and day, and I worried so that my friends all became alarmed over my condition. I didn't think I was going to live much longer and was the most discouraged person you ever saw."

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heard at the peace conference because the peace conference had no jurisdiction over any question of that sort which did not affect territories which belonged to the defeated empires. My position on the subject of self-determination of Ireland is expressed in Article XI of the covenant in which I may say I was particularly interested because it seemed to me necessary for the peace and freedom of the world that a forum should be created to which all peoples could bring any matter which was likely to affect the peace and freedom of the world."

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New Mexico 360,247, increase 32,946, or 10.4 per cent.  
Louisiana 1,737,198, increase 141,410, or 8.5 per cent.  
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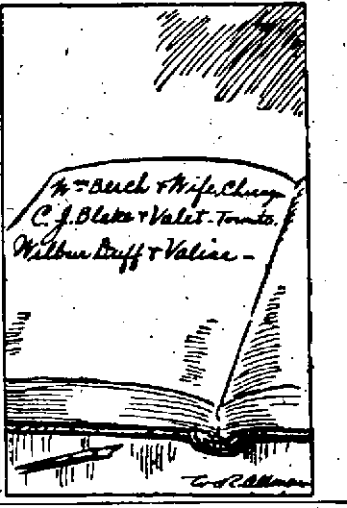
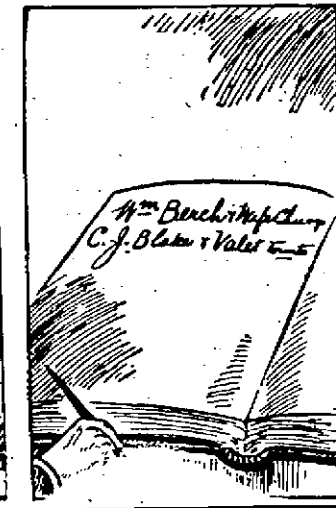
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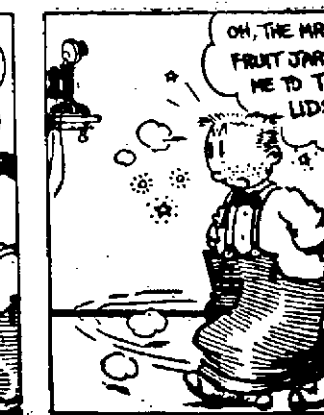
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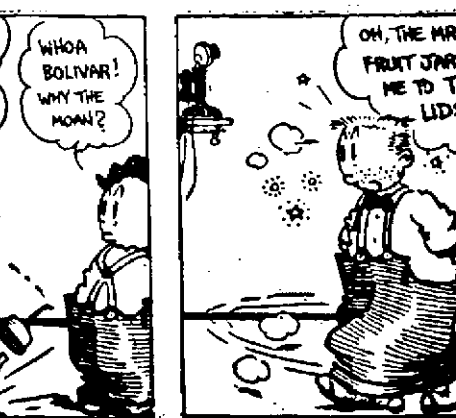
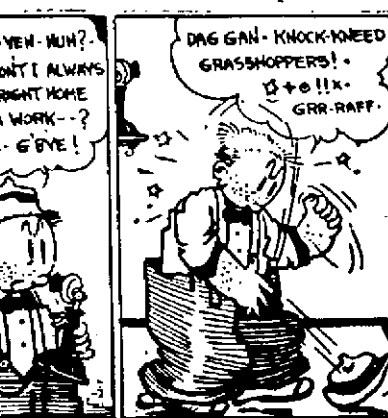
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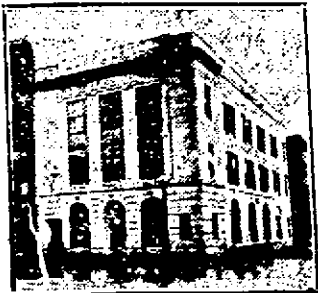
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228 CENTRAL STREET

INTEREST BEGINS SATURDAY, OCT. 2nd

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**McClellan, William Riley** Corbushus Harrison, Patrick Lynch and John J. McClellan, was in St. Patrick cemetery. Rev. Stephen Murray read the committal prayers. Undertaker H. Molloy's Sons in charge of funeral arrangements.

**FUNERAL NOTICES**

**COX**—The funeral of Mrs. Mary J. (Redmond) Cox will take place Friday morning at 9 o'clock from her home, 55 E. 4th street. At 9 o'clock mass of Requiem will be sung at St. Immaculate Conception church. Burial will be requiem family only at St. Patrick's cemetery. Mortuary college. The funeral will be under the direction of Undertakers James J. and John J. O'Connell.

**FATREAU**—The funeral of Mrs. Faveau will take place Friday morning from his home in Quinn's building at 10 o'clock. Burial will be in the Catholic church. Catholic and burial will be in St. Catharine cemetery. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertaker Nathan Bilezik of this city.

**REQUIEM MASSES**

**CONSTANTINE**—There will be anniversary high mass at 8 o'clock Friday morning, Oct. 1st at Sacred Heart church, for Leo Constantine.

**FINCH**—There will be a monastic mind solemn high mass Friday morning at 8 o'clock at the Immaculate Conception church for the repose of the soul of Patrick J. Finch.

**E Z SEAL**  
Pints, \$1.10 Dozen  
Quarts, \$1.25 Dozen

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City Delivery

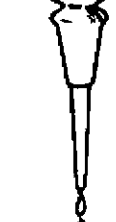
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**FOOTBALL**  
**LOWELL HIGH**  
— Against —  
**NASHUA HIGH**  
Seaside Park, Friday, 3.30 P.

# "CORNS"

Lift Right Off Without Pain



The illustration shows a glass bottle of 'Freezone' corn remover on the right and a corn being lifted from a foot on the left. The bottle is labeled 'Freezone' and has a small 'MADE IN U.S.A.' mark. The corn is shown being lifted by a small tool, with a drop of liquid falling from it.

Doesn't hurt a bit. Drop a little "Freezone" on an aching corn, instantly that corn stops hurting, then shortly you lift it right off with fingers. Try it.

Your druggist sells a tiny bottle of "Freezone" for a few cents, sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn between the toes, and the like, without soreness or irritation.

**SATURDAY, THE 2nd DAY OF OCTOBER**

The premises consist of a dwelling and separate toilets, gas, electric, water on each floor, and two attic rooms. The building is supplied with water. The lot has a total area of about 1000 sq. ft. and is located on the frontage on Hale and Washington streets, and the building setting back a adequate yard space.

The property is fully rented to a family. The premises for a considerable time for \$728 per year.

The location within a step of the city's actual and comfortable center of the centre of the city, and also of manufacturing industries, and close to the nation's, gives to the property a sure and to the owner assurance of return.

The premises are in the very highest of condition, which gives an added value to the property.

Terms: \$500 must be paid to the owner at the time of the sale. Other terms made known at the time of the sale.

By order of

**SPECIAL FOR C. H. HARRIS**

**NEXT THURSDAY**

Truck load of new store goods, government blankets, all kinds of clothing. Don't miss this sale.

**2 Panel Body Truck**

**JOSEPH**

ER, 1920, AT 3.30 O'CLOCK P. M.  
containing four tenements, six rooms  
tenement. There are four rooms and  
water and has sewer connections.  
1320 square feet with a combined  
feet of about 152 feet, is fenced on all  
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our first class tenants, who have econom  
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in this particular parcel, from the ir  
auctioneer just as soon as the property  
on at sale.  
P. BELOCAS.

**ANSON'S AUCTION SALE**  
**AT 10.30 SHARP**  
lot of unclaimed freight, many go  
going for men and boys. This is yo  
Automobiles and 2 For  
Bodies.  
KELLEY, Auctioneer, Lowell.





PEASANTS DRIVEN OUT  
OF ROYAL ESTATES

LONDON, Sept. 28.—Members of local agricultural societies which occupied property owned by King Victor Emmanuel of Italy near Naples have been driven out by troops. Several peasants were wounded in the fighting incident to their eviction, says a Rome despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Co.

## 2000 Peasants in Seizure

ROME, Sept. 28.—Two thousand peasants took part in the seizure of royal estates near Naples, according to advices received here. They were members of an agricultural co-operative society in the town of Santa Maria, nearby, and as they marched toward the king's property they carried shotguns and sang the "Workmen's Hymn." The property seized was called the "Cardello" and was one of the largest belonging to the royal house.

## FOR WORLD PROHIBITION

AUGUSTA, Me., Sept. 28.—Resolutions pledging support to officers who conscientiously and faithfully enforce all provisions of the liquor prohibition law and the intention to work with increased energy for the coming of world prohibition, were adopted by the Maine Woman's Christian Temperance union today.

Glow worms are most brilliant just before a storm.

In China the bride-elect sends her future husband his wedding dress.

## WILLIAM ODDIE

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Hood's  
Sarsaparilla  
Makes Food  
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Creates an appetite, aids digestion, purifies the blood, and thus relieves scrofula, catarrh, the pains and aches of rheumatism and gives strength to the whole system.

Nearly 60 years' phenomenal sales tell the story of the great merit and success of Hood's Sarsaparilla. It is just the medicine you need now. Hood's Pills help—fine cathartic.

## RENTS REDUCED

Chicago Landlord Announces  
10 Per Cent Cut

CHICAGO, Sept. 28.—J. A. Greenburg, who owns a number of apartment buildings, yesterday announced a 10 per cent reduction in all rents, effective October 1, and stated that a similar reduction would be made next May.

"We are following in the footsteps of the manufacturers in the country who have inaugurated a decline in prices," he said.

## ON PRE-WAR BASIS

German Ambassador Presents Credentials to President Millerand of France

PARIS, Sept. 28.—Wilhelm Marlow von Kaufmann, German ambassador to France, today presented his credentials to President Millerand at the Elysee Palace, thus restoring the diplomatic relations of France and Germany to the pre-war basis.

A new kind of concrete permits nails to be hammered into it.

## UNIVERSITY EXTENSION

Enrollment is Supervised by  
State Department of Education Representative

Judging from the enrollment in the University Extension class in American citizenship, civics for women, opened last night in high school hall under the direction of Dennis Dooley, representative of the state department of education, housewives are as much interested in the conduct of governmental affairs and the duties of the different officers and departments of government as teachers or bookkeepers.

The enrollment last night showed that seven school teachers, two bookkeepers, 13 housewives and one clerk were present. This number of students is far below what was expected by Mr. Dooley, but the small attendance was attributed to the rain. On the other hand, the class last night was so interested in the subject of citizenship that the first regular class session, women's occupations that the organizer has no doubt that the membership will increase greatly before the second or third class session.

The civics class is the first of a series of university extension classes to be opened in this city for the winter season. The first regular class session on the citizenship subject will be held in high school hall on Wednesday evening, October 6, instead of Tuesday evening, October 5. The course will be conducted by Hugh J. Molloy, superintendent of schools, who will follow the lecture system outlined by the state department of education. Mr. Molloy has specialized in the study of civics and citizenship and has taught those subjects before.

Upon the first opening of the citizenship class in New Bedford, Mr. Dooley noted last night that there were 127 enrollments and in Springfield at the third meeting of the class there were 530 women enrolled. Other civics classes have been organized throughout the state with great success.

Instruction in this class is open to all women, regardless of previous education and the cost includes nothing more than a one dollar fee for enrollment and the price of books. It is in reality a series of lectures on citizenship, various phases of government, voting, elections and other topics that will enable women especially to discharge their political duties intelligently.

Some changes were announced by Mr. Dooley last night which affected the first meeting of the English composition A class. This was scheduled to open on September 22 at the public library, but the first meeting has been scheduled for the evening of October 6. The instructor in English will be Percy W. Long, Ph.D., now of Boston but formerly an instructor in English at Harvard University.

The instructor in the course on gasoline automobiles will be John J. Gildee, head of the automobile department of the Lowell Vocational school. Herbert Hall of the Textile school will conduct the courses in elementary accounting and principles of accounting, which will open on October 13 and 20. James Dow, also of the Textile school, will conduct the course in oral English and public speaking.

The complete schedule of courses under this department and for which registration is still going on at the school department or in the class on night of meeting is as follows:

Tuesday, September 28, 1920, American Citizenship, \$1.

Tuesday, October 5, 1920, Gasoline Automobiles, \$2.

English Composition A, \$2.

Wednesday, October 6, 1920, English Monday, October 11, 1920, Elementary Accounting, \$1.

Monday, October 11, 1920, Principles of Accounting, \$1.

Thursday, October 14, 1920, Oral English—Public Speaking, \$1.

Thursday, October 14, 1920, Practical Applied Math, \$3.

Tuesday, October 19, 1920, English for Business, \$1.

## SUCH IS LIFE

We Never Know When We  
Are Well Off

Bill Blivens was a master mechanic. What he didn't know about machinery you might pen on your thumb-nail.

But Bill was bit by the back-to-the-land bug.

Bill had never been on the land. He had flattered along the rural highway, and it looked good to him.

"There's independence for you!" he exclaimed.

"Nature grows your crops. You harvest 'em, and spend the money."

"Listen well, I want it!"

"Fresh air, outdoor exercise, cheap living," he added.

"Me for the good old farm!"

Bill was one of the best hands in the factory.

Hank Hornsby was as classy a farm-hand as you'll find anywhere.

What he didn't know about raising crops and growing livestock isn't worth accumulating in an advertising brain.

But Hank had been to the city. Went there for four days on a visit. They were the big days, what with the movie and the burlesque, and the street cars, and the parks, and great crowds of people prancing up and down every street what more could a guy want out of life.

"I'm going to pull up stakes here," Hank said, "and go where life is; where you know you're living."

Hank was one of the best farmers in Hoople-toe.

(Business of pushing time ahead some days, yet.)

William Blivens has spent 12 years getting out from under his farm mortgage, and now the county agricultural agent admits, Farmer Blivens knows fully half as much about farming as Hank Hornsby knew when he left the neighborhood. Also he earns half as much as he did in the city shop.

Hank Hornsby, after tacking forty-seven different varieties of jobs, finally glued himself to waving the flag at grade crossing, which rewards him in the sum of \$1.45 per day.

"What that procession?" asked a curious bystander.

"That," replied another, "is a gang of farm hands hustling to the city to escape the drudgery of farm toll."

"And what's that other procession?"

"Oh, that's city fellows beating it to farms to escape the drudgery of city work."

LOWELL REPRESENTED  
IN BOSTON PARADE

About 500 members of the local lodges of Odd Fellows and Daughters of Rebekah went to Boston this morning to participate in the monster parade, which was held there in connection with the annual national convention of the order. Of that number some 200 gathered at the railroad station, while the others assembled at Odd Fellows hall, Bridge street, and paraded through the principal streets to the railroad station, where a special train was boarded at 10 o'clock for the Hub.

The parade was headed by Chief Marshal Linwood T. Sanders, who was followed by Banters' Military band. Next in line was Canton Pawtucket, Patriarchs Militant in uniform and then came members of various lodges of the order wearing the order cap.

The local lodges represented in the parade were Obolite, Arthur W. Jenkins, noble grand; Centralville, George N. Holden, noble grand; Highland, Veritas, Lloyd E. Flint, noble grand. The lodges of Rebekah who accompanied the Odd Fellows to the Hub were Evening Star lodge, Mrs. Stella Clements, noble grand; Centralville, Mrs. Ella B. Hobson, noble grand, and Highland Union, Mrs. Lillian E. Flint, noble grand.

The route of the parade was through Bridge street to Merrimack square, to Merrimack street, to Central street, to Middlesex street as far as the railroad station. The Lowell delegations were to be in the ninth division of the parade and were ordered to report on Commonwealth ave., Boston, at 12.15.

CHICAGO HOTELS

REDUCE PRICES

CHICAGO, Sept. 28.—Twenty-two hotel owners today agreed to cut their restaurant prices from 25 to 33 1-3 per cent. Vegetables, fruits and cereals will be cut the most.

Four per cent. of the milk produced in this country is used in ice cream manufacture.

## F.W.C.A. RALLY PARTY

Everybody invited to the Big Time Thursday Evening—Program of Recreation and Entertainment

Everyone's invited! Thursday evening at 8 o'clock is the time. Gym girls, house girls, new girls, old girls—every girl who is in for a good time or who is interested in gymnasium classes, dressmaking, millinery, dramatics, Glee Club, French or other classes—all are invited to come for an evening's jollification. Besides a program of recreation in the gymnasium, the F.W.C.A. in 1920 will be presented dramatically, with various departments showing some of the happenings among its members. Registrations for classes will be taken during the evening.

Classes in gymnasium work will begin the week of October 4, under the direction of Miss Charlotte Northrup. Classes for women is to be one of the features this year, meeting on Tuesday and Thursday mornings. Business and industrial girls will find classes to meet their needs in the evening, for advanced work on Monday evenings, beginning work on Tuesday, sports, including basket and volley ball, on Friday night, aesthetic dancing on Monday.

Gymnasium classes for children and high school girls are always popular, because of the health benefit resulting. For younger girls, the classes will meet on Tuesday and Friday afternoons, intermediates from 11 to 14 years of age will come on Wednesday and Friday afternoons, and the high school class meets on Monday afternoons at 4 o'clock.

The first Sunday afternoon open house of the season is to be next Sunday from 4 to 6 in the afternoon. Mrs. Harriet Boulelle Lacey, formerly of Chicago, is to be the speaker of the afternoon, with Miss Hazel Tuttle, the soloist. Tea and a social hour will follow the service and everyone is invited, especially those who in Lowell as Miss Boulelle who knew Mrs. Lacey as Miss Boulelle when in Lowell.

High school girls are planning a big rally and banquet for Friday evening or the week as the setting up of their winter work. Enthusiasm is at a high notch and any high school girl is invited provided she sends her name in advance.

## REGISTRATION SESSIONS

More Special Registration Sessions for Men and Women—Election Commissioners Busy

The election commissioners today announced further special registration sessions for men and women of wards 2, 6, 7, and 8, who wish to vote at the state election. Next Monday evening, Oct. 4, the commissioners will be at the Highland club from 7 to 9 for residents of wards 2 and 8. On Tuesday, Oct. 5, the commissioners will be at the Highland club from 7 to 9 for residents of wards 6 and 7.

An interesting fact in connection with the special demands being made upon the election commissioners this year owing to the advent of women voters is that the four commissioners are doing the extra registration work almost every evening without additional remuneration or extra assistance. The chairman of the local board receives \$1000 a year and the other members \$200 each. In Boston the chairman receives \$1000 per year and the other members \$250 each. In order to register women voters this year 68 assistant registrars were appointed in the Hub, while none have been appointed here.

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# MOTHER IMPROVES BECAUSE OF VIOLIN MELODIES OVER TELEPHONE

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Every day Maurice Nitka, noted violinist, plays the old melodies and airs of long ago that he knows his mother loves, over the telephone from his room to the

room where she lies, seriously ill, at Flower hospital. Afraid lest the music disturb other patients, Nitka adopted this novel method of playing the music his mother wished. Physicians say that Mrs. Nitka has shown great improvement since the daily concerts. Actually, musicians say, some violin music is improved by telephonic transmission.

# HUB DOCTOR BEATEN UP BY POLICEMEN

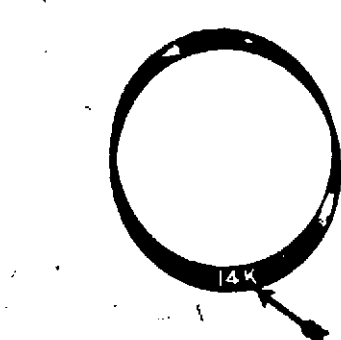
BOSTON, Sept. 28.—Dr. John Sears McCormack, well known physician, was delirious at his home, 405 South Huntington avenue, last night, as the result of a beating alleged to have been received from Patrolman Frank A. Norton of the Joy street police station early yesterday morning. Just after he had finished calling on a patient on Batavia street.

# ALLOWS INDIANS TO PLAY SEWELL

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Permission for the Cleveland Indians to use Shortstop Sewell, successor of the late Ray Chapman, in the world's series, if the Indians win the American league pennant, was granted last night, by Charles H. Ebbets, president of the Cleveland Indians. Sewell joined the Cleveland team after Chapman's death, and his contract was promulgated after the time limit of Aug. 30, making him ineligible for the inter-league series.

Mr. Ebbets' announcement was made in reply to a telegram from President Dunn of Cleveland in which he made a request to use Sewell. Ebbets said he hoped Cleveland would win the American league pennant, in view of the indictment of the White Sox players.

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Ready tin boxes of 12 tablets cost but a few cents—Large packages.

Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacturing of Monroeville, Pa.

# SEEKING BAD MAN

Lowell and Tyngsboro Police Respond to Telephone Calls from Varnum Ave. Residents

Because a tall, dark complexioned man walked back and forth in front of his house in Varnum avenue several times last night, about 7 o'clock, the owner of the house sent in a call to the police station, believing that the man was the one that had been frightening milkmen in the Highlands and Belvidere sections of the city during the past week. Inspector Walsh and Officer John Donovan were sent to the scene, which was near the city line, in the police automobile, but upon their arrival could not locate the man in question. The Tyngsboro police were

also called to the scene, but they likewise, could not find the suspicious person. Since the police have been told about the activities of a man assaulting milkmen in the Highlands and Belvidere sections, they have encountered a similar individual in the Belvidere section.

# TO THE GRAND BANKS

Down Town Men's Club Near Newspaper Woman Relate Her Experiences on Fishing Schooner Trip

A trip on a fishing schooner to the Grand Banks was described by Miss Marjorie Baker, a Boston newspaper woman, at the first fall meeting of the Down Town Men's Club of the First Congregational church last evening.

About 100 members were in attendance. Supper was served previous to Miss Baker's address.

The speaker told of the difficulty that she experienced in getting permission to make the sea trip, and said that it only became possible at last because she smuggled herself onto the schooner and remained hidden until it was beyond the three-mile limit off shore. She said that she had expected to be gone from Boston only 10 days, but that the trip had lasted much longer. She referred to many interesting and pleasant experiences connected with the voyage, and also to such unpleasant incidents as seasickness. She wore men's clothes during the trip, and when she arrived back in Boston the woman from whom she rented a room was

loath to believe that "he was Miss Baker."

# COFFEE HOUSE MEN

Warned By License Commission—License to Be Revoked if Conditions of Name Are Not Lived Up To

Because it was alleged that they were not closing their stores at midnight, were allowing gambling on their premises and were employing women either as waitresses or as cabaret dancers, 20 coffee house proprietors of the Greek community were summoned before the license commissioners last night and warned that their licenses would be revoked if such practices did not stop. Inspectors Conroy and Meigs

of the police force, were present at the meeting. Charles S. Hanson, chairman of the board, addressed the proprietors in forceful language, reminding them of the privileges allowed by the coffee house licenses and of the result of violation of such. Commissioners Putnam and McGrath also instructed the proprietors.

# K. OF C. LECTURE

Rev. Fr. Helrea, an eminent authority on spiritualism and psychic subjects, will lecture in Associate Hall, October 7, under the auspices of the Knights of Columbus. The lecture will be free to the public.

The bamboo sometimes grows two feet in 24 hours.

# A. G. Pollard Co.

The Store For Thrifty People

# Thursday Specials

8.30 A. M. to 12 Noon

# Undermuslins

## Third Floor

**DOROTHY DRAWERS**—A closed drawer, made with extra wide leg, giving the effect of a short skirt, and has the feature of an open drawer. Two styles, one with hamburger ruffle and one plain. Regular prices \$1.00, \$1.50. Special, **59¢ and 98¢**

**MISSIE'S DRAWERS**—Sizes 8, 10, 12, 14 years. Regular prices 79¢ and 89¢. Special **50¢**

For cold nights some like a heavier Night Gown—Two styles, with high and V neck and long sleeves, heavy cambrie and made full. Regular prices \$2.50 and \$2.98. Special **\$1.98**

# Waists

2 Dozen \$1.98 Fine Voile Waists. Special **69¢**  
4 Dozen \$2.98 Fine Voile Waists. Special **\$1.00**  
2 Doz. \$1.0 Hand-made Philippine Waists. **\$6.98**  
2 Dozen \$1.0 Heavy Crepe de Chine Waists. **\$6.98**

## SECOND FLOOR

# Infants' Wear

## Third Floor

**Gowns of Flannelette** for children 2, 4 and 6 years old, made of a good quality flannelette, in blue and white stripe patterns. Regular \$1.75 value. Special, each **\$1.25**

**Infants' Flannelette Gowns**, made long, with draw string at bottom, of white flannelette, size, infants' to 2 years. Regular \$1.40 value. Special, each **\$1.25**

**Slips for Infants**, cut long of an extra good quality cotton, trimmed with lace on neck and sleeves. Regular \$1.25 value. Special, each **89¢**

**Flannel Gertrudes** for children, 1, 2, 3 years old, slightly soiled. Regular \$1.79 value. Special **\$1.25**

# Corsets

## Third Floor

# THOMSON CORSETS

One style, heavy white coutil, low top and long skirt. Regular price \$5.00. Special **\$3.50**

One style, white coutil, medium top and long skirt. Regular price \$4.00. Special **\$3.00**

One style, Deering, pink broche, elastic top. Regular price \$5.00. Special **\$3.50**

One style, Lily of Frante, elastic top and very long skirt, pink coutil. Regular price \$7.50. Special price **\$5.00**

# Fancy Ribbons

## For Bags, Sashes and Hair Bows

This is a special assortment of fancies, including light and dark effects, in dresden ribbon, satin stripes, also plain and moire taffeta, 7 or 8 inches in width. Values up to \$1.39 yard. Special at, yard **49¢**

## STREET FLOOR

# Children's School Shoes

Vici kid, lace and button style, first quality stock, welted soles, nature shape last, all sizes—

5 to 8, \$3.25. Special **\$2.75**  
8½ to 11, \$3.75. Special **\$3.00**

## STREET FLOOR

# Women's Neckwear

## Street Floor

**COLLAR and CUFF SETS** of organdie, neatly trimmed with val. lace, roll collar effect. Regular \$1.00 value. Special **75¢**

**COLLARS**—Roll effect, made of embroidered organdie. Regular 75¢ value. Special **50¢**

**COLLAR and CUFF SETS**—Roll collar effect of white organdie with colored hemstitched ruffle. Regular price 75¢. Special **59¢**

**VESTES** with collar attached, or organdie, with ruffle. Regular \$1.50 value. Special **\$1.00**

**VESTES** of ruffled net, trimmed with rows of val. lace insertion. Regular \$1.50 value. Special **\$1.00**

# Jewelry

Colored Bead Necklaces, values \$1.00 to \$1.00. Special, **50¢ to \$2.00**  
Black Jet Beads (bright only). Neck and opera lengths. Values \$1.00 to \$5.50. Special, **50¢ to \$2.75**  
Metal Necklaces, Values \$2.50 to \$5.00. Special, **\$1.75 to \$2.50**  
Enamel Pins (sterling silver). Values 75¢ and \$1.00. Special, **50¢**  
Hat Pins (sterling silver). Value 50¢ pair. Special, **25¢ pair**  
Cuff Pin Sets. Value 50¢ pair. Special, **35¢ pair**  
Pearl Earrings. Values 50¢ and 65¢ pair. Special, **35¢ pair**

## STREET FLOOR

# NOTIONS

Pearl Buttons, all sizes. Regular 15¢. Special, **10¢** Card  
Fancy Buttons, all styles and colors. Regular 50¢. 75¢. Special, **10¢** Card  
Kleinert's Exquisite Waist Shields, small and large. Regular 15¢. Special, **10¢** Card  
White Dress Belting, 1½, 2½ inches. Regular 30¢ yard. Special, **15¢** Card  
Clasp Sockel Fasteners. Regular 15¢. Special, **10¢** Card  
Cameo Snap Fasteners, all sizes. Black and white. Regular 10¢. Special, **5¢** Card  
Sapho Lingerie Tape, 7 yard pieces, white. Regular 15¢. Special, **10¢** Card  
Special elastic, black and white, ¼ inch. Regular 10¢. Special, **5¢** Card  
Domino Elastic, black and white, ¾ inch. Regular 15¢. Special, **10¢** Card  
Dressmakers' Shears, 6 in. 1 in. Regular 60¢. Special, **40¢** Card

## STREET FLOOR

# Wash Goods

## Palmer Street Store

**WHITE STRIPED MADRAS**—36 inches wide, 1 lot of good quality madras, slightly soiled, just the thing for house dresses, waists and shirtings. Regular price 59¢ yard. Special, yard **35¢**

**LONG CLOTH**—30 inches wide, made special for our white goods dept., soft chamois finish, sold in 10-yard pieces at this price, 2 pieces only to one customer. Regular price 59¢ yard. Special, piece of 10 yards. **\$4.25**

**MOUSETTE**—32 inches wide. This is a smooth, soft finish fabric, in a good assortment of shirting stripes. Regular price 69¢ yard. Special, yard **45¢**

# Women's Gloves

Women's Kid Gloves, mostly small sizes, black and black and white. Values to \$3. Special **49¢**  
Women's White Fabric Gloves, two clasp, sizes 5½ to 7. Values to \$1.25. Special **79¢**  
Children's White Doeskin Gloves, sizes 00 to 7. Values to \$1.50. Special **79¢**

## STREET FLOOR

# \$1.98 Sateen Petticoats 98c

25 Dozen Fine Grade Sateen Petticoats in all black and black with colored floral designs, in rose, blue, purple and many other combinations of color. Generous deep flounces with tiny knife pleated ruffles are featured. EXTRA SIZES in all black at **\$1.50**

## SECOND FLOOR

# Ready-to-Wear Garments

## Second Floor

**\$40 Black and Navy Serge Coats**, 38 to 44 size. Special **\$25.00**  
**\$45 Black and Navy Gabardine Coats**, 38 to 40 size. Special **\$30**  
**\$45 Silver-tone Coat**, reindeer, size 36. Special **\$18.50**  
**\$35 Tweed Mixture Coat**, size 38. Special **\$18.50**  
**\$25 Taffeta Dresses**, navy, taupe and black. Special **\$18.50**  
**\$18.98 Silk Poplin Dresses**, in navy, taupe and black. 16 to 46 size. Special **\$15.00**  
**\$2.98 Children's Gingham Dresses**, 8 to 14 size. Special **\$1.69**  
**\$3.98 Children's Gingham Dresses**, 6 to 14 size. Special **\$2.69**  
**\$7.50 Children's Gingham Dresses**, 6 to 14 size. Special **\$5.00**  
**\$7.50 Children's White Organdie Dresses**, 6 to 12 size. Special **\$2.98**  
**\$3.98 Shetland Tie Back Sweaters** **\$2.98**

# Rugs and Draperies

**Scrim Curtains**, made of yard wide scrim in plain hemstitched or lace edge, with or without valances, in white only. Regular length. Regular price \$2.00. Special, pair **\$1.50**

**Dutch Curtains**, made of heavy marquisette with hemstitched band trimmed with wide flat lace on edge, 2 1-3 yard long in white only. Regular price \$5.50 pair. Special, pair **\$4.50**

**Nottingham Lace and Fillet Net Curtains**, 2 1-2 yards long, can be used in any room in the house. These are mostly two and three pair lots. Regular price \$2.00 to \$5.00 a pair. Special, pair **\$1.50 to \$3.98**

**Window Shades, Cream Color Only**—These are water color shades, and sell today for 98¢ each. Only a few down at this price. Special, each **65¢**

**Couch Covers** in Oriental and Persian patterns, regular sizes, only a few. Regular price \$3.75 to \$5.00 each. Special, each **\$2.98 to \$3.98**

**Two Doz. Tapestry Art Squares** of the best quality, the top wire grade, in a good assortment of designs and colorings. Regular price \$55.00. Special price, each **\$36.00**

**Japanese Grass Rugs and Art Squares**, in a good variety of colors and designs. We have these in 7 different sizes from 18x36 to 9x12. They make an excellent rug for a chamber. Regular price 75¢ each to \$15.00. Special, each **59¢ to \$10.98**

**More of Those Heavy Door Mats**, in 3 sizes, made of heavy rubber—Regular price \$1.50, 18x30. Special, each **98¢**

Regular price \$1.75, 81x36. Special, each **\$1.39**  
Regular price \$1.98, 20x40. Special, each **\$1.69**

**Small Lot of Heavy Mottled Axminster Rugs**, size 27x54. Regular price \$5.98 each. Special, each **\$4.50**

**Remnants of Scrim and Marquisette**, in plain or with fancy borders, in white, cream and Arab; remnants run from 1 yard to 4 yards. Regular price 50¢ yard to 75¢ yard. Special, yard **39¢**

## SECOND FLOOR

# School Serge

98c Yard

3000 yards, in remnants, 2 to 6 yard lengths. Regular \$1.25 grade.

PALMER ST.—RIGHT AISLE

# Men's Wear Street Floor

## Broken Lots and Odd Sizes

**MEN'S UNION SUITS**, each **\$1.00**  
**MEN'S NIGHT SHIRTS**, each **\$1.00**  
**MEN'S SHIRTS and DRAWERS**, each **\$1.00**  
**MEN'S CASHMERE HOSE**, 3 pairs **\$1.00**  
**MEN'S NEGLIGEE SHIRTS**, each **\$1.00**  
**MEN'S SILK LISLE HOSE**, 4 pairs for **\$1.00**

MUST RESIGN OR  
RETURN TO WORK

Mayor Perry D. Thompson has sent the following letter to Thomas B. Riley, a member of the local police department, who was granted a six months' leave of absence some time ago and whose leave has long since expired, demanding that he either resign or return to his duties:

Sept. 29, 1920.  
Mr. Thomas B. Riley,  
50 Kinsman street,  
Lowell, Mass.  
Dear Sir: Your leave of absence from the Lowell police department has long since expired. When I called it in, I was met with the statement that you were ill, but I find upon investigation that you are in good health.  
I trust, therefore, insist that you do either one of two things, send in your resignation or return to duty in the Lowell police department.  
Respectfully yours,  
PERRY D. THOMPSON,  
Mayor of Lowell.

In some of the island groups of the Pacific, eggs are preserved by being covered with sirup.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

**MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE**  
Final performances of "The Prince Chap," the noted William De Mille production, featuring Thomas Meighan, will be given at the Merrimack Square theatre this evening and tomorrow the usual mid-weekly change of program will take place.  
The outstanding attraction for Thursday, Friday and Saturday will be popular and breezy Wallace Reid in his latest screen comedy, "What's Your Hurry?" Wallace is again the auto racer in this production as he has been in the two or three previous releases, but he doesn't stick to the racing car long in this speed picture. In order to win the lady of his heart the daughter of a great old motor truck manufacturer, he becomes an employee of his prospective father-in-law. But in the capacity he succeeds only in getting himself "in wrong," and it is not until he risks his life to

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MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

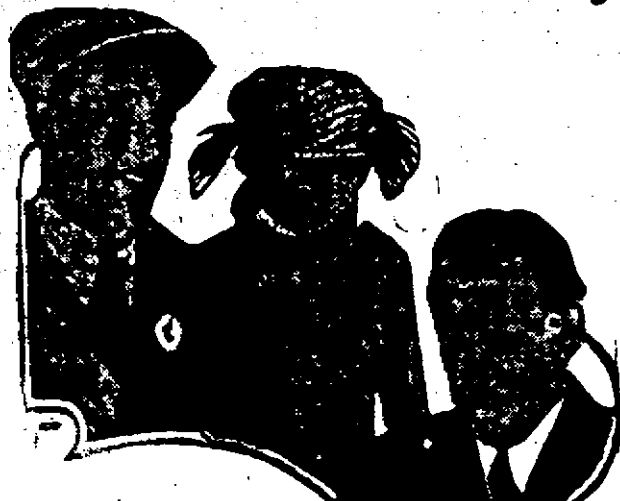
"ALWAYS A GOOD SHOW"

THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Wallace Reid

IN

What's Your Hurry



Another sizzling auto thriller! A romance of love, business and whizzing racers. See the hair-raising motor race that opened the new Los Angeles speedway. See the battle of men with a raging storm to save a sleeping valley from death! See the breaking of the great Cabrillo dam! Then see an unforgettable climax that called for a man—and found him on the job. A picture that fairly bursts with power and excitement.

OTHER ATTRACTIONS

"While the Auto Waits" An O. Henry Story  
"You Tell 'Em Lions, I Roar" Metro Comedy

International News Will Rogers' Illiterate Digest Burton Holmes

TONIGHT—Thomas Meighan in "The Prince Chap"

WHERE U CAN ENJOY YOURSELF

ROYAL Theatre

'Mong the fellers doin' real big things in the movies is one J. Parker Read. Mebbe ya heard bout him. Anyway he's a great chap, does a pitcher up brown, an he's jess finished a corker, a sort of a sequel to "The Lone Wolf" en "False Faces." Folks who've seen these pictures 'member the big exciting en unusual climaxes, en they do say that Parker Read's masterpiece got both these backed to a standstill. Eyyway, yu'll hev a chance tuh judge, ef yu come Wednesday or Thursday when we'll show the big sensation play—

"The Lone Wolf's Daughter"

Featuring EDWIN STEVENS, THOMAS HOLDING, BERTRAM GRASSBY—en Starring

LOUISE GLAUM

This girl is sure a corker for difficult parts, en she takes off this un mighty fine. Better make a date with yer girl, en come along tonite.

En besides we're showin' "REVENGE OR?" a new western thriller; Fifth Episode of GEORGE SEITZ'S "PIRATE GOLD" serial; en a new HANK MANN fun-test.

plot a fleet of trucks to the rescue of a couzinyds threatened by a burning dam, that he is able to soften the old man's heart and capture the girl.  
Wallace Reid is most delightful in this breezy picture. He is supported by Lola Wilson and other capable stars.  
Other features of the program for the last half of the week will include an O. Henry story, "While the Auto Waits"; a Metro comedy, "You Tell 'Em Lions, I Roar"; the International News and Will Rogers' Illiterate Digest.

THE MIAITO

Wanda Hawley in "Food for Scandal," and Tyrone Power in "The Great Shadow," from one of the best double bills that could be asked for in this theatre. Miss Hawley's picture is a light comedy of the daintiest sort with a new story to it, and Mr. Power's play is one of a present day problem, that of the danger of bolshevism in the ranks of labor. In addition, the Sunshine comedy is full of laughs, the episode of "The Third Eye" is full of thrills, and the Fox News has some wonderful pictures of the Wall street explosion.

M. F. KEITH'S THEATRE  
Good comedy, with touches of real

TONIGHT AT 8.10  
MATINEE TOMORROW  
10c, 15c, 25c, 30c

Opera House

ECHOING APPLAUSE  
Greets the starting situation in  
Octavio Roy Cohen's Great Saturday  
Evening Post Story dramatized

CRIMSON ALIBI

Cast in the Full Strength of the  
LOWELL PLAYERS

NEXT WEEK  
First Big Laughing Week, The  
Matrimonial Mix-Up  
"PEGGY, BEHAVE"

THE ONLY THEATRE IN  
LOWELL WHERE THE BIG-  
GEST DOUBLE-FEATURE-  
PICTURE PROGRAMS ARE  
OFFERED AT SINGLE FEAT-  
URE PRICES

THU.FRI.SAT.

MAY ALLISON

Featured in Metro's  
latest Special Production

HELD IN TRUST

Based on powerful Red Book  
Magazine story.  
SHE WAS YOUNG—SHE WAS  
BEAUTIFUL—And She loved  
fine clothes. But She was  
only a shop girl. WHAT  
HAPPENED? — 8 acts

EXTRA ATTRACTION

W. H. B. WARNER

A big human comedy-drama  
of the man in overalls.  
HE FAILED AS A MILLIONAIRE  
BUT SUCCEEDED AS A  
PLUMBER

Novelty to it, are very frequent on the All-Star bill at the B. F. Keith theatre. This week, Bessie Rempel and "Mim" in the fishing skit "His Day Off," scores well, and Sybil Vane, the Welsh prima donna, more than makes good. Bert Kenney and Hollister & Hollister in the in-prompt comedy, "Back in Beverly Hills," are winners. Another act of more than ordinary merit is that given by Mack & Lane. It is a bit of everything, and it is pushed along in royally good fashion. Audiences care much for it. Other acts on the bill are those of Bert Brothers, premier acrobats, and the Musical Johnstones, wonderful xylophonists.

THE STRAND

"A great story—and a great picture," is the consensus of opinion of the vast majority who attended The Strand the past two days. Reference was to "The Silver Horde," the Rex Beach story that will be shown for the last time today. If you like one of those he-man recitals of the frozen northwest, then avail yourself of

Rialto

TOWERS CORNER  
LAST TIMES TODAY  
WANDA HAWLEY in  
"FOOD FOR SCANDAL"  
— and —  
TYRONE POWER in  
"THE GREAT SHADOW"

Entire New Program Tomorrow  
MRS. CHARLIE CHAPLIN

Polly of the Storm Country  
By Grace Miller White  
A 1st National Production, 7 Parts

EDITH STERLING

The noted stage favorite  
"The Girl Who Dared"  
6 Parts

"Four Times Foiled"  
An Unusual Chester Comedy

Hawks Trail—Fox News

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Twice Daily, 2-7:45 P. M. Phone 28

ALL STAR VAUDEVILLE  
BESSIE REMPEL AND HIM  
In "HIS DAY OFF"

SYBIL VANE  
Noted Singer, the Gail-Caret of  
Vaudeville.

KENNEY & NOBODY  
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STEPHENS & HOLLISTER  
"BACK IN BEVERLY HILLS"

MACK & LANE  
MUSICAL JOHNSTONES  
ELBERT BROS.

Kinograms—Topics of the  
Day—Comedy

1000 MATINEE SEATS—10c

3-Hour Sale

BOSTON LADIES' OUTFITTERS "Store Ahead"

Thursday 9 A. M. to 12 M.

YOU WILL MARVEL AT THE GREAT SAVINGS



Just 112 New Fall

dresses

The materials cost more than our price. Satin, taffeta, tricolette, crepe de chine, georgette crepe, wool serge, fine tricotine. All the new shades. Sizes for all. Thursday, from 9 a.

m. to 12 m. Don't miss them. \$16.50

Pretty Fall

waists

Handsomeness in georgette crepe and crepe de chine. Long sleeves. Large collars. Sizes 36 to 46. \$4

New Fall and Winter

suits and coats

LATEST STYLES

Finest materials. All silk lined. New shades. All sizes. Limited quantity. Thursday, 9 a. m. to 12 m. \$25

New Fall hats



Just 137 handsome new trimmed hats, fine velvets, beavers, etc., cost more at wholesale. Thursday, 9 a. m. to 12 m. \$3

OTHER BIG BARGAINS—DOORS OPEN AT 9 A. M.

BOSTON LADIES' OUTFITTERS "STORE AHEAD"

94 MERRIMACK STREET

45-49 MIDDLE STREET

the last chance today. It's great. Then Trust and H. B. Warner in "Uncharted Channels." Tomorrow May Allison in "Held In Trust" and H. B. Warner in "Uncharted Channels." If you are interested in a good do-

CROWN THEATRE

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY—NEW SHOW

BERNARD DURNING

Star of "When Bearcat Went Dry," in a New and Pulsating Drama  
"THE GIFT SUPREME"

A Human Story of Human Beings Superbly Enacted by an All-Star Cast. It's a Good Crook Story

EARL METCALF

"THE CHAMBER MYSTERY"

Picture that will keep you in suspense all the way through

"Snub" Pollard Comedy—Weekly—"Vanishing Dagger," No. 6

ONE-HALF MILLION

ective story—and who is there that isn't then see "The Crime Alibi" as being produced this week by the Lowell players at the Opera House. You will not alone see a good story, treated in a commendable way, but you will see some of the best characterizations that the stock stage has given up in some time, Miss Knowles, as the motherly housekeeper, and Ken-

NEW JEWEL THEATRE

"THE HOME OF SNAPPY PHOTOPLAYS"

ANOTHER BANK CLOSED

They're running on the banks in Boston faster than Man 'o War is hitting it up on the turf. But for real speed, come up Merrimack street this afternoon or evening and see hundreds making their way on all six cylinders to the ONLY theatre on the street. Just because we're showing. Today and Tomorrow—

JACK LONDON'S NOTED PRODUCTION

"The Sea Wolf"

You may talk of brave men and wild nature, but if you want to see both in full action, glimpse at this bit of virile acting, red-blooded adventure and heart-appealing dramatic thrill such as only Jack London could create.  
"The Sea Wolf" filled the Merrimack Square Theatre to capacity at every performance. We expect to repeat. If you didn't see it then, take a walk up this way.

OTHER FEATURE ATTRACTIONS

"THE WHIRLWIND"

The Daring Motorcycle Serial, Featuring

CHARLES HUTCHISON

Episode 12.

Fox Sunshine Comedy  
"A MILK FED VAMP"  
Oh, my!

Two- reel Western  
"THE CHAMPION LIAR"

FRIDAY and SATURDAY—Victor Hugo's Noted Masterpiece  
"LES MISERABLES"



## HOW EXPLOSIVES ARE HANDLED IN N. Y. C.



## HOW EXPLOSIVES ARE HANDLED

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Investigations of the Wall street blast have turned the spotlight on Metropolitan methods of transporting explosives.

## COURT MERRIMACK

The 40th anniversary of Court Merrimack, N. H., was observed last evening with a social hour during which interesting speeches were delivered. In the early part of the eve-

ning a brief business session was held with Chief Ranger Ernest Ready in the chair and later under the direction of John Hendricks a literary program was given. Among those who addressed the gathering were Mayor

Thomas C. Murphy, State Grand Secretary William Mitchell, Deputy Grand Chief Ranger James Dunn, Past Chief Ranger James Gallagher, John W. Sharkey, John Barrett, George McElroy, Andrew Molloy, Mr. Martel and Mr. Ryan. At the close of the evening a buffet luncheon was served. The committee in charge of the anniversary was as follows: Thomas C. Murphy, Ambrose Ready, Arthur Bernhardt, John W. Sharkey, Arthur St. Hilaire, John Sullivan, John T. Hendricks, John J. McCullough, John Read, Daniel Redding, Patrick J. Mahoney, John Gilligan, Richard J. Townsend, Edward J. McInerney and Thomas F. Kelley.

At 7:35 o'clock this morning there was a telephone alarm for a blaze caused by an oil stove in a house at the corner of Palgo and John streets. The damage was slight. At 11:38 o'clock last evening an alarm was sent from 48 for a curtain fire at 18 Church street. No damage.

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## TO SUPPORT GOV. COX

Harding and Those Who Picked Him Denounced by Members of Bull Moose

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.—A committee of fifteen members of the Bull Moose party, headed by Matthew Hale of Boston, former chairman of the National Progressive executive committee, after a meeting here yesterday, issued an appeal for the support of Governor Cox.

In making its appeal to the progressives of the country to support the democratic ticket, the committee recalled the fact that Senator Harding denounced Theodore Roosevelt as a "modern Aaron Burr," and combated his policies on the theory that they were socialistic and revolutionary.

The statement says in part: "A little group of obstinate party bigots, extending the autocratic precedents of 1912 and 1916 and demonstrating the utmost disregard for the will of the party voters, named their personal choice for president. Truly the 'steam roller' exceeded the speed limit." The senate oligarchy named the least worthy of its own membership, the most colorless, pliable reactionary of that unimpressive group, as the leader of our democracy in a time of most momentous national and foreign problems.

"This group chose Senator Harding as their candidate long before the convention. They chose him as the most fit instrument to serve their private purposes, the most useful tool for assuring their personal control of the government, regardless of the interest of the nation for a leader of outstanding ability and intellectual power. Some states required primaries and thus the voters had the opportunity to reject in advance the senatorial choice.

"But these senators who were loudest in their insistence that no treaty should be made without their consent, had no hesitation in dictating a nominator, without the consent of the voters. Progressive voters may well ask how many times their intelligence and their patriotism must be insulted before they will reject decisively every claim of partisanship and vote down and out of political power the reactionaries who have maintained a minority control in the republican party in 1912, in 1916, and in 1920."

Dodged 1163 Roll Calls  
The progressives briefly summarize the record of Senator Harding, saying: "His record as senator clearly indicates what he would do as president. His record is void of either initiative, activity or accomplishment. His name is not connected with any single outstanding issue during his entire service. He has not introduced or championed one big constructive measure. The record shows that he has been absent or dodged 1163 roll calls and quorum calls.

"The record shows that his senate speeches were halting, inconsistent, generally illogical, and with always a reactionary point of view. Without variation he has followed the party bosses, Penrose, Smoot and Lodge. Not once has he displayed irregularity. On the prohibition issue he is a 'wet,' having voted with the liquor interests 30 times out of 32. During the discussion of the prohibition amendment to the Constitution in the senate Aug. 1, 1917, Mr. Harding said: 'I am not a prohibitionist, Mr. President, and never pretended to be. I do not approach this question from a moral standpoint because I am unable to see it is a great moral question.'

"After much reluctance and indecision he has voted for the Cummings railway bill with its anti-strike provision. He stood consistently against conservation, voting several times for the Shields water power bill. On every important test between capital and labor he voted with capital. He has opposed public ownership in every form. He voted against a government armor plate factory at the beginning of the war. He opposed the wire control bill as a war measure. On revenue measures he voted against any amendment to increase the tax against profiteering and large incomes. He opposed the abolition of the secret sessions of the senate and secret diplomacy by opposing the open consideration of treaties by the senate. He opposed the confirmation of Louis D. Brandeis to the supreme court. "He opposed a tax upon campaign contributions. He opposed the European food relief bill. He voted and spoke for conscription and permanent policy. He opposed referendum and recall as a peace policy. He opposed disarmament for all nations. "In our judgment the above record shows Senator Harding to be a confirmed and hopeless reactionary. He is not a leader, but relies wholly upon the Penrose-Lodge-Smoot leadership."

MRS. BERGDOLL CONVICTED  
PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 28.—Mrs. Emma C. Bergdoll and her four co-defendants were found guilty last night of conspiracy to aid two of her sons, Grover and Erwin, evade the draft. The verdict was returned in the United States district court.

## Tells Dyspeptics What to Eat

Avails Indigestion, Sour, Acid Stomach, Heartburn, Gas on Stomach, Etc.  
Indigestion and practically all forms of stomach trouble, say medical authorities, are due nine times out of ten to an excess of hydrochloric acid in the stomach. Chronic "acid stomach" is exceedingly dangerous and sufferers should do either one of two things. Either they can go on a limited and often disagreeable diet avoiding foods that disagree with them, thus irritating the stomach and lead to excess acid secretion or they can eat as they please in reason and make it a practice to counteract the effect of the harmful acid and prevent the formation of gas, sourness or premature fermentation by the use of a little Bismarck Magnesia at their meals. There is probably no better, safer or more reliable stomach antacid than Bismarck Magnesia and it is widely used for this purpose. It has no direct action on the stomach and is not a laxative. But a teaspoonful of the powder or a couple of five grain tablets taken in a little water with the food will neutralize the excess acidity which may be present and prevent its further formation. This removes the whole cause of the trouble and the meal digests naturally and healthfully without need of peptic pills or artificial digestants. Get a few ounces of Bismarck Magnesia from any reliable drug store for either powder or tablets. It never comes as a liquid, milk or citrate and in the dissolved form is not a laxative. Try this plan and eat what you want at your next meal and give it the "hot" test advice you ever had on "what to eat." Liggett's After-Dinner Drug Store and other leading druggists—Adv.

## HARDING PROMISES ECONOMY, IF ELECTED

WHEELING, W. Va., Sept. 28.—Declaring that democratic extravagance and mismanagement had brought the nation to the brink of financial disaster, Senator Harding told an audience of several thousand here last night that the republican party proposed to inaugurate a policy of economy and efficiency that would put the whole federal government on a sound business basis.

The republican nominee quoted treasury department figures to support his charge of unwarranted expenditures, and asserted that one effect of the administration's proposal for a new issue of treasury certificates would be to further handicap the money market, and to increase the cost of living. He criticized President Wilson's veto of the budget bill passed by the last republican congress, and promised that a budget system would be one of the first policies inaugurated by a new republican administration. "Unless we check the existing system of waste and extravagance," he said, "we shall run head-on into disaster. We have heard during the last few days from the democratic administration at Washington that it needs money, more money, always more money. And during these same days we have heard from a democratic candidate that if he is elected to the presidency he will give to the people of this country a budget system such as the present president, with whom he says he is in accord, rejected last June."

Harding's speech here was the sixth he had delivered during the day in West Virginia. Crossing from Baltimore during the morning he made short rear platform talks to crowds at Gratton, Fairmont, Mannington, Cameron and Moundsville, assailing the labor provisions of the peace treaty, and declaring that the democratic administration might ease the coal situation if it chose by invoking the coal allotment provisions of the Cummings-Esch railway bill.

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## MARRIAGE INTENTIONS

The following marriage intentions have been filed recently at the office of the city clerk:  
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Leroy Russell Hogan, 14 Mt. Washington, 27, student; Helen Esther Roddy, 53 Third, 22, student.  
John M. Melkonian, 10 Stanley, 26, watchmaker; Ekous Marylin, 10 Stanley, 20, tailress.  
Franciszek Sudo, 236 Suffolk, 33, machine shop; Magdalena Judowska, 236 Suffolk, 30, operative.  
Harold F. Clark, 639 School, 22, assistant shipper; Elizabeth Roy, 639 School, 22, knitter.  
James F. Murray, 19 Hurd, 42, U.S.C. Co.; Mary Ellen Warren, 595 Gorham, 21, U.S.C. Co.  
Frank Tiffany, Waltham, 32, operative; Mary Josephine Morin, widowed (nee McDonough), 63 French, 31, operative.  
Joseph Edward Coulembé, 2 Lavaltee place, 22, chauffeur; Sarah J. Griffin, 41 Marion, 28, shoemaker.  
Clement J. Conu, 65 Branch, 21, chauffeur; Bertha Dube, Lawrence, 20, at home.  
Harold K. Bartlett, 33 Dover, 21, insurance clerk; Mildred R. Gray, 93 Dover, 25, clerk.  
Leon Orlan Champagne, 514 Moody, 21, machinist; Blanche Alice Lapointe, 211 Ludlam, 22, at home.  
Perey Waldo McLester, 56 Rolfe, 21, cashier; Harriet Smethurst, 44 D, 26, at home.  
George S. Florence, 23 Dutton, 25, nger; Louise Bordelau, 658 Broadway, 16, operative.  
Albert Gosselin (divorced), 66 Tucker, 35, shoe salesman; Cora Marie Anna Langlois, Haverhill, 27, stitchee.

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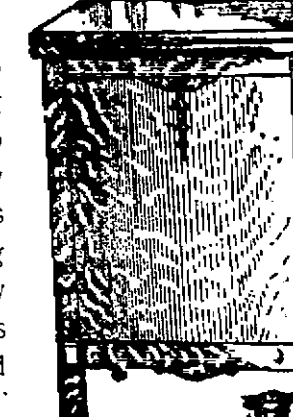
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## BOSTON FINANCIAL SCARE

If the leading banks of every other state in the Union were involved in difficulties such as surround those of Boston today, what a condition our country would be in!

The mismanagement of financial affairs and the tolerance of swindling operatives by the state authorities, has been utterly scandalous.

First Ponzi was allowed to rake in many millions of the people's money without offering any bona fide guarantee that any great part of it would ever be returned. The state authorities should have shut up the Ponzi business the first week of its activity. But it was allowed to go on until the newspapers cried out against the plunder.

Then the authorities woke up, but it was too late. The press would have acted sooner but for the assumption that if the Ponzi business were wrong, or fraudulent, the state officials would close it up at once. That was a very grave mistake.

In this state at that time, any combination of swindlers could have opened up a bureau for the sale of gold bricks without molestation from the bank commissioner, the governor, the state police or anybody else except some newspaper.

What could be expected of an administration in which the state treasurer was himself engaged in a system of graft?

The sequel is now seen in the closing of several banks and trust companies in Boston, some of them regarded as the most reliable in the state. They have been caught in the swirl of the Ponzi swindle, the greatest ever perpetrated upon an unsuspecting people.

True, some of them are solvent if they had time to gather in their assets; but they have been temporarily overwhelmed by the demands of excited depositors, as an aftereffect of the Ponzi business.

Governor Coolidge will have a special commission investigate it all and recommend legislation to deal with such swindling operations in the future. As usual the governor will proceed to lock the stable door after the steed is stolen.

We have a notion that decent republicans are indignant and disgusted at the remissness of the state authorities in permitting a gigantic swindle to precipitate such a financial crisis.

## BLAMING THE STATE

There are some queer characters in Wall street. Edwin D. Wheelock, a Wall street broker, is one of them. He was recently drawn on a jury and offered no objection to serving until the case of two boys charged with a crime was called.

Wheelock at once asked to be excused, saying "the chief criminal is not before the bar."

In reply to a question by the judge, he said "society is the chief criminal," alleging that it "perpetuates conditions which breed criminals, tempt men to crime and reward them if they are sufficiently skilful in crime."

It is a socialistic idea that the state is responsible for poverty and that this condition leads to the commission of crime. Possibly Wheelock's idea would be to divide up all the wealth of the country equally among the people. It would be but a short time until those who had nothing would be just as poor as ever. It is not society that causes some people to be rich and others poor; but the industry, thrift, tact and ability of one class and the indolence and shiftlessness of the other. In this country opportunity comes alike to all. Those who grasp it become rich; those who don't are left behind. But the latter cannot justly blame society. That is where Wheelock is wrong.

This charge is fully as bad as that other pretext for disobeying the laws of God and man, namely, the alleged lack of free will. Wheelock's logic seems to be that the measures and penalties adopted to prevent crime are responsible for promoting it, a piece of absurdity quite on a par with the claim that in the commission of sin man is not a free agent.

The state can be responsible for crime only when it prevents the training or education necessary to inculcate law-abiding habits and the practice of virtue or when by law it allows one class to tyrannize over another. The state always encourages such training and we have no class legislation, so that there can be no foundation for Wheelock's charge.

## POLICE AND AMERICANIZATION

An interesting experiment in connection with the work of Americanizing foreign-speaking residents is being made in Worcester. It is realized that the police of the city stand in the eyes of many of the aliens, as the concrete embodiment of the forces of government. With a good many of the new-comers it can probably be said with truth that our institutions are more or less on trial, and that they are likely to stand or fall as the conduct of the officers of the law impresses them favorably or otherwise.

The policemen, since the advent of prohibition, have in many cases been relieved of some of the work that formerly occupied a large share of their time. Their services are just as necessary to the community as ever, but it is possible to make use of them in ways that in times past would scarcely have been possible.

One of these ways seems to have been discovered in the city that its people find pleasure in referring to as "the heart of the commonwealth." The policemen there have been instructed to get into as close touch as possible with the foreign-speaking people along their beats. It is part of the program that the blue-coated officers shall try

to convince the aliens that they are real friends and that they are willing to aid them in every legitimate way, and especially that they stand ready to assure them the full protection of and fair treatment under the law.

This movement that is now going forward in Worcester might profitably have counterparts in Lowell and other cities. A police force, whose members were animated by a desire to be of real service to the new-comers from foreign shores who are here, and here apparently to stay, ought to be able to render assistance of supreme value in the battle against the propaganda of "Red" agitators.

## WOMEN AND CHILDREN FIRST

"Women and children first" is a principle to which every true American will respond even in cases less urgent than fire and shipwreck. But to most people this does not seem to have anything to do with legislation or politics. Governor Cox by his action as chief executive of Ohio, endeavored to change the public attitude on this matter by advocating legislation first for women and children. One of the governor's first official acts was to order a survey of the schools of the state and to this he devoted his time and personal effort, bringing out many instances in which the humane interests of women and children had been overlooked. He provided better schools for the children and higher pay for the teachers.

Governor Cox did not wait till women got the ballot to favor mother's pensions and other measures that meant much to women and children.

Women have the vote now, and it is safe to say, they will use it in favor of Cox, not only in Ohio but all over the country where is known his record in favor of humane legislation for "Women and children first."

## THE BRAZILIAN METHOD

Brazil proposes a venture into government trading. A measure recently introduced in the chamber of deputies gives the government "power to intervene as buyer or seller" in commercial markets.

The government does not aim at wiping out private business, to engage in state socialism as a substitute to individual initiative, but its sole intention is to stand between the Brazilian producer and less, and, when necessary, to come between the Brazilian consumer and less.

The idea is simply this: If prices drop below the cost of production, plus a fair profit, the government will buy enough of the products to hold up the price. When prices go too high so as to reach the profiteering stage, then the government steps in and sells enough of the products to lower prices. There is no denying the fact that this is a practical method of overcoming varying conditions that occasionally enable one class of traders to victimize another.

## TO STOP AUTO THEFTS

The proposition to require every man who sells an automobile to be able to show a title deed to its ownership, would go far to stop the traffic in stolen autos now becoming so common. It is by far the best plan yet devised. It may be said that a record could be forged but that would be readily detected. The plan is that a title deed to the car shall be issued by the sales company to the original purchaser. That is to go with the car ever after, the names of the new owners, if any, being recorded on the back of the deed. It would be a simple process that would probably outwit the auto thieves.

Judging from the fact that a large amount of state funds are tied up in one of the banks ordered closed by the state commissioners, the new state treasurer has not proved to be an improvement upon his predecessor who was ousted. On November 2 the citizens will have an opportunity to elect a democrat to the office who will see that the state deposits are duly protected.

## THE BLOODY BLACK AND TANS

The British "Black and Tans" are leaving a trail of death and destruction after them in Ireland. That is what they were sent there for. The record of their outrages upon innocent people will form another dark page in the bloody history of Ireland under British rule.

It is probable that the board of public trustees of the Eastern Massachusetts street railway are just as anxious to make "Better Service, Cheaper Fares" something more than a sounding slogan, if they can be shown the way to do it.

The highway department may not be able to tell the cost of the pavement that it has laid, but there is a lot of people who would be willing to step forward and testify as to what they think it is worth.

A protective tariff may, or may not, be desirable, but it was not until Senator Harding made the discovery that anyone ever attempted to claim that it promoted lower prices.

A bunch of gamblers, hovering over the rolling bones and shouting for "seven" and "eleven" to "come," were probably a bit surprised when the police responded to their invitation.

"A dollar, thoughtlessly spent is a dollar lost," says the advertisement of a Lowell bank. Worse than that, it encourages the loss of another one in the same way.

There is an old adage about "setting a thief to catch a thief." That seems to be what happened in Boston, where three policemen have been before a court charged with wholesale stealing.

The planks in the republican platform seem to have been largely supplied by a hymn of hate of Woodrow Wilson.

## SEEN AND HEARD

### Anti-Suffrage Devices

Other anti-suffrage devices recently invented by the skirted voters are: "No smoking in or near the voting booth."—New York woman. "Men must wear coat, collar and necktie."—Chicago dame. "Mirrors must be placed in each booth, and rocking chairs must be provided for women waiting their turn to vote."—Baltimore woman.

### Great To Be Crazy!

"Oh, boy, I'd like to be a ham-and-which so I could flirt with the chick-iest!" said the defendant in some quite important case in a western court, and just for the sake of the case, the case on the ground that the defendant was irresponsible. "Wonder what he takes to get like that," said the judge. "Dunno," replied the court officer, "but it sure must be great to be crazy," and it is recorded that the judge didn't note the sarcasm.

### Picking Him Up

A young man from Rockland, driving his car in the Hanovers, saw a sparkle in the road and picked up a diamond ring. A little farther on he found a second diamond ring, and then a third. He picked up a sapphire ring, a diamond brooch, a wrist watch, and other valuable jewels, and finally a fancy velvet handbag. Then he met a worried woman in a limousine, looking for the jewelry that she had lost.

### Many Applications

That low rumbling noise you heard the other morning came from Indiana. It was but a poorly muffled murmur of its stifled meridian escaping from the men of that state when they happened upon the discovery of a law enacted by a man-managed legislature. Minus its legal technicalities, this humor provoking law says as how the voting booth's door must be high enough from the floor to permit 18 inches of the voter's legs to be visible by the election officials in the polling place. This, it may be explained, was made law before the era of woman suffrage. The purpose was to prevent vote buyers from entering the booth with the voter to see that the ballot was marked according to the terms of the purchase. You see, if the official spotted four legs in the booth he knew somebody was there aiding and abetting the honest voter to cast a ballot for the corrupt politician. But why, suffering cuts, Indiana men are falling all over themselves hustling in applications for jobs as watchers in voting places. One Pike county precinct has applications from 16 men seeking the job. And there are only 17 men in the precinct. However, one blind man lives there.

## MAN ABOUT TOWN

Miss Marjorie Baker of Boston was scheduled as a speaker at the meeting of the Men's club of the First Congressional church Tuesday evening. She is a Boston newspaper woman, who recently leaped into something like fame by donning man's clothes and spending a month on the decks of a word fishing schooner cruising about over the rolling Atlantic. When she returned to Boston, an added piquancy was given to her adventure by her discovery that all of her feminine clothes had been stolen from her room during her absence. Exploits like that of Miss Baker are somewhat rare in the present era of newspaper work, although they used to be common enough. Have in mind an surprising journalist in the good old days who voluntarily spent two months in jail as a means of getting a story. He didn't get the story that he went after, but it is perhaps almost needless to say that he did get a story and a good one. I remember another man who is still working on one of the Boston papers who prepared himself for the part of one of the down-trodden proletariat and then went the rounds of the fashionable churches to see what kind of welcome he would get. He was looking for experiences, of course and he found several of them. Another old-timer who could, if he would, spin a yarn worth hearing, was the first American representative of the journalistic craft to greet Peary at Battle Harbor, off the coast of Greenland, on his return from his successful journey to the pole. He went from Boston down across the Maritime provinces, over the strait of Canada and traversed the length of Newfoundland and then fell up into the ice-filled waters of the north provided some interesting experiences. There are of course a plenty of other modern man-gatherers who have had their share of hair-breadth "escapes" in "morning" accidents by road and field. One of these is the case of a Boston newspaper corps, who served as a correspondent during the Franco-Prussian war and rode into Paris behind the victorious Germans in 1871.

It should be pleasant to have a reputation for being able to supply a sovereign panacea remedy for about all the different sorts of troubles that human flesh is heir to. Also, I think, most people will agree, there must be unpleasant features connected with the possession of such a reputation. Far and wide throughout the city has spread the idea that the chamber of commerce is a sort of universal provider of information that will straighten out all sorts of tangles. Awhile ago it was appealed to for assistance in getting to America a couple of young people who had been held up in Egypt while on their way to America. They are now on the ocean bound for "God's country." Inquiries about making investments flow in with frequency and plentifulness of rain drops in an April shower. They relate to all sorts of schemes for making buyers of stock rich, and the chamber of commerce is expected to furnish quickly and definitely information regarding the wisdom of putting cash into the various schemes. Some of the get-rich plans that are presented are at least unique, and it probably would not be a surprise if someone should turn up with a request to be told whether it would be well to invest in a company formed to utilize the canals on Mars. A visitor came into the rooms a few days ago who told a story that reflects a condition that doubtless a good many people have found themselves up against. He had a family of five children; the youngest being only about six months old. He was face to face with an old, old problem. Having been evicted from one tenement on account of his children, he said, he had tried to find another place to move into. As soon as a landlord found out the size of the family he lost all enthusiasm for turning the property over to the tender mercies of the five children. "What shall I do with my children?" he said. "I shall shoot them!" finally exclaimed the visitor in despair. I am not aware that the chamber officials were able to relieve him in this predicament.

Dry champagne is considered an Shellac is the product of an insect that feeds on the sap of trees.

## Proceeds With Charter Probe

water department to buy his own supplies or to employ his own purchasing agent.

Other witnesses heard last evening were: Commissioner George E. Marchand, who favored the present form of charter; Chief Edward F. Saunders of the fire department, who advocated the complete motorization of the department and the installation of a new alarm system; Francis A. Connor, building inspector, who said that the city of every public building commissioner; Supt. Robert Gardner of the water department; Chief Clerk John W. Crawford of the same department, and Chief Clerk Joseph F. Roark of the building department.

The meeting opened at 7.50. Messrs. Mansau and Dexter were absent.

Commissioner Salmon, first called, spoke in part as follows: "I believe in the present form of charter, because I think five men can administer the affairs of the city satisfactorily."

"I look over the water department with a deficit facing me, due, I believe, to the fact that water rates were not raised when they should have been. Within two years I think the department will be self-sustaining, unless the unforeseen occurs."

In answer to a query from Mr. Farrington, Mr. Salmon said that he believed the head of the department of water works and fire protection should have complete control over those departments.

He would favor a water board, said, providing the members were to be appointed by the commissioner. The present charter does not give him power to appoint an advisory board.

The civil service is more of a detriment than a help to him, he said, because it interferes with the most efficient employment of men.

Chairman James B. Casey said that he didn't see how the department could be self-sustaining in two years, when it had a deficit of \$14,000 on Sept. 1. The commissioner said that he expected a large revenue from October receipts. This year the department will be relieved of a burden of \$40,000 interest and next year, \$21,000.

**\$750,000 in Loans**

"People don't realize," said Mr. Salmon, "that \$750,000 has been borrowed by the department since 1910."

The average weekly payroll of the department is now \$200, he explained. Last year it averaged \$200. He explained that last year the machine shop was closed down and the maintenance of meters was interfered with. This year 82 meters have been replaced.

"The whole plant has been falling away," said the commissioner. "I don't believe in shutting down departments to save money."

Mr. Safford asked if the filter were now in shape. The commissioner replied in the negative, saying that 900 tons of coke must be replaced. He didn't want to borrow any more money now.

In response to a question by the chairman, Mr. Salmon said that he believed the fire and water departments were too much for one man. One man should be in charge of the water department and should buy his own supplies or have his own purchasing agent. On the matter of coal alone, he said, a great saving might be effected in this way.

Mr. Doran asked if he couldn't consult the present purchasing agent about those matters. Mr. Salmon said he could but that he hasn't been able to get coal in proper amounts and the coal that has been secured has been poor.

"You mean that you are not getting co-operation?" asked Mr. Campbell. "I am simply making a recommendation," replied Mr. Salmon.

Mr. O'Donnell said that it might be well to remember that the purchasing agent or the commissioner of any department cannot enter into a contract without the authorization of the municipal council.

### Supt. Robert Gardner

Supt. Robert Gardner of the water department said that he had little to add to what the commissioner had said, except that he believed in the efficacy of the old water board of five men.

Fewer men are now being employed by the department than under the old charter, said Mr. Gardner. For instance, where there used to be 40 or 50 men digging in the streets there are now only 15 or 16.

If the present council acted as a little control over the license department, but the city messenger's

of the department, there wouldn't be any need of a separate water board, the superintendent said.

Mr. O'Donnell said that Mr. Gardner's testimony showed that the present charter had not been lived up to and that it had not been given a fair trial.

"If it hasn't had a chance yet," said the chairman, "how long is it going to take, I wonder?"

"To answer that," said Mr. O'Donnell, "I should have to say some very sharp things, which I don't want to do."

### Chief Clerk Crawford

John W. Crawford, chief clerk of the water department, was then called. The income of the department this year so far has shown a great increase as a result of the advance in rates, he testified.

Unless new loans are made in the meantime, he said, the department will be relieved of the payment annually of \$66,000 in interest charges within the next two years.

Mr. Safford asked if the laying of new mains to replace old ones had not been neglected in the past few years. Mr. Crawford said there hadn't been as much work done in this direction as there was formerly done.

### Chief Edward F. Saunders

Edward F. Saunders, chief of the fire department, was next called. He said that the department is now suffering for want of proper apparatus and equipment.

Mr. Milliken asked what rating the national board of underwriters gave the city.

"Class 'C,'" said the chief. "That isn't a very good rating, is it?"

"No."

"What did they recommend to put the city in a higher class?"

"First, a new fire alarm system with the nucleus of the system centered in a segregated, fireproof building. I recommended a building at the corner of Cross and Fletcher streets to the council some time ago. At the present time the fire alarm system is on the top floor of the central station right near the carpenter shop. If a dangerous fire broke out there, the apparatus would be gone."

"It was also recommended back in 1914," said the chief, "that the department be absolutely motorized, that various houses be changed over and that new equipment be added."

The double platoon system has called for 35 more men, he said. The present payroll of the department is about \$26,000 a month.

Mr. Milliken asked if more efficient work could be done if the chief were the executive head of the department with the city council merely a legislative body.

"I'm not prepared to answer that," replied Chief Saunders.

If there are any new policies to be inaugurated in the department, they must be first approved by the commissioner, the chief said. If he refused to sanction them, they do not go into effect.

### Commissioner Marchand

Commissioner George E. Marchand of the department of public property and licenses was next called.

His department, he said, was practically a hospital for the other department.

Asked which form of charter, the old or new, he thought more efficient, Mr. Marchand said he believed the present form more efficient. But after all, he said, good government is a question of men, not charters.

The present charter, he believed, gives the mayor a veto power, in a way, because of the emergency clause attached to a majority of loan orders. Many loans that might otherwise have gone through in the past two years have been held up by this mayor.

Mr. Marchand said that he had spent \$90,000 up to Sept. 1 out of an appropriation of \$100,000. His men are now working on loans, he said. He hoped to be able to place out his appropriation in this way.

"You're putting up a 14-room addition to the Morey school for \$134,000," said the chairman. "Do you suppose they're coming anywhere near that figure on the new high school?"

"I couldn't say," replied the commissioner.

The chairman asked just what authority the commissioner had over each of the "lengthy array of departments" which came under him.

### His Sub-Departments

The commissioner said that he had a little control over the license department, but the city messenger's

and city hall departments came under his immediate supervision. The city sealer's department is functioning very efficiently, he said.

"How arduous are the duties of the city weigher?" asked the chairman. "What does he do for his salary of \$1200?"

"The weigher is always on duty ready for whatever work is brought to him. I understand, however, that all the coal bought by the city is not weighed by him. He makes an annual report to me."

The chairman asked the commissioner whether his department could take care of school buildings more efficiently than the school department. He replied that he believed his department could do the work more efficiently.

Mr. Marchand favored transferring the plumbing inspector from the health department to the public property department.

"Do you think the health of the public would be taken care of to the same extent?" asked Mr. Slattery.

"Yes, sir," replied Mr. Marchand.

There are now 71 employees in the buildings department, he said.

"I can't see any fault with this charter," said the commissioner; "as far as my two years' experience has allowed me to observe it."

Chairman Casey asked Mr. Marchand if he believed he should have appointive power over his subordinates rather than the city council.

"The men under me have worked very faithfully," replied the commissioner. "We have been like a family gathering. If I did have appointive power, I should choose the men now under me. We have been almost like brothers."

"There's one good thing about this charter," said the chairman; "it does provide for family gatherings."

In conclusion, Mr. Marchand said he believed in a definite tenure of office for department heads.

### Francis A. Connor

Francis A. Connor, building inspector, said that his department was governed practically entirely by state building laws. He consults the com-

missioner on his work and they have always agreed. If they should not agree, the commissioner's opinion would prevail.

Mr. Milliken asked Mr. Connor if he thought the present building laws were adequate to protect the public. Mr. Connor replied in the affirmative.

Mr. Connor said that he believed the inspector of buildings should be a member of every building commission. With the exception of enforcing the state building laws, the inspector has no power to protect the city's interests in public construction.

### Chief Clerk Roark

Joseph F. Roark, chief clerk of the public property department, said that he was the custodian of all records of the department and issued permits unless the latter are of such a nature as to require the attention of the inspector. He explained the steps necessary for the alterations of a building which has been partially burned.

It was announced that the park commissioners, superintendent of parks, chairman of the board of cemetery commissioners, their superintendents, the license commissioners and their clerk, the inspector of weights and measures and the city weigher would be invited to appear before the commission at its meeting next Friday evening.

Adjourned at 10.05 p. m.

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## STREET RAILWAY FARES

Discussed at Meeting—Talk on City Planning—Trip to Alaska

The street railway situation was the subject of much personal discussion between members of the chamber of commerce gathered for the first fall meeting and dinner of the organization in Memorial hall last evening. Sec. George F. Wells, in a report on the chamber's activities, referred to the fare question as a "delicate" one and expressed the opinion that its solution would lie in the adoption of lower rates and the provision of better service for the urban zone of the city. He also said that he believed that the problem was one that called for skillful handling and that it would be best not to attempt to force the street railway company into making concessions. Dudley L. Page, another speaker, gave an interesting account of recent travels in Alaska. W. J. Donald of the American City Consultants of New York, spoke at length on "City Planning."

President W. N. Goodell, in opening the meeting, welcomed the members back to the activities of the chamber after vacation, and called upon Secretary Wells to present his report in which was set forth in detail the achievements of the chamber during the summer and the plans that have been formulated for future activities.

## Tells of Alaskan Trip

President Goodell then asked the members to discuss any subjects in which they might be interested or offer suggestions in regard to the chamber's work. "How would you like to discuss what we have done or propose to do?" No response came to his suggestion and he observed "That gives us assurance that you think we have been pretty good." He then introduced Dudley L. Page to tell about a "stroll" that he had taken "up into the northwest last summer."

Mr. Page told of the train preceding the one on which he was journeying into Seattle running over an embankment, causing \$100,000 damage, and killing several people. He described a beautiful trip along the Alaskan coast, and mentioned a stop at Juneau, with its ruined mines that once extended far out under the sea. He caught his first glimpse of the glaciers, he said, while traveling over the Guggenheim railroad to Dover. Later he took a 125-mile auto ride "over roads that are worse than any in Lowell." At the end of his ride he reached a settlement where the mail arrives only three times a year. Then there was a long trip on horseback, with camping out at night in places where mosquitoes were abundant. The address closed with a description of the trip back into California and the inspection of a silver mine in Nevada.

President Goodell then referred to the fact that a new charter for the city is in a formative state, and said

## ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

by Olive Roberts Barton

## CUTIE COTTONTAIL'S SPOTS

Mr. Scribble Scratch couldn't imagine what was the matter with everybody, when lessons dragged and nobody seemed to know anything at all. When he asked Cutie Cottontail what the head of a country was called, Cutie answered absently, "Cabbage."

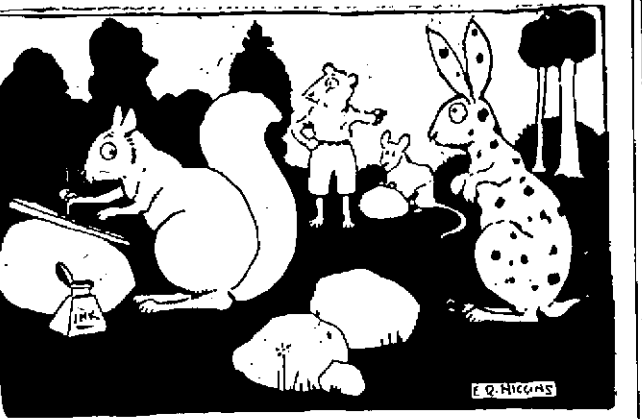
Fall fever had got into the last mother's son of them and nearly everybody had had his turn in the corner wearing the dunce cap Nancy made.

But Scamper Squirrel's brain was working overtime for a good excuse to get out of school without having the

Spots—big black ones were all over Cutie's soft brown coat. Suddenly the plan he had been searching for all morning popped into his head. He got very busy then, dipping his pen into his inkwell and shaking off the ink before every word.

After awhile he whispered to the little rabbit boy to sit sideways and later on he asked him to turn the other way round, all the while writing and then shaking his pen for all he was worth.

Pretty soon Markie Mink across the aisle looked up from his speller and



"LOOK AT CUTIE COTTONTAIL. HE'S GOT THE MEASLES!" MARKIE MINK SCREAMED WILDLY

fairly schoolmaster send Nick, the truant officer, after him.

He wrote his name in all his books with flourish, and his address, too, just to help him think. Then he wrote poems about returning the books to him if they were lost. Every time he wrote a word he shook his pen without watching where the ink was flying. But happening to glance up in the midst of this absorbing business, something queer on Cutie Cottontail's back caught his eye. Then he grinned.

that the chamber had sought all over the country to secure authorities to speak on subjects connected with city management. He introduced Dr. W. J. Donald.

## Talks on City Planning

"Building garages next to apartments, opening funeral parlors among residences and the committing of similar crimes against the principles of modern city zoning destroy more properties, values annually than is lost through fire," said Dr. Donald in opening his address.

"The house owner can protect himself against loss by fire by means of fire apparatus and insurance. There is no insurance against loss due to misplaced buildings except a zoning ordinance. No city would be without adequate fire apparatus, such a motor

ized fire engine costing at least \$10,000. And no city can afford to be without a zoning ordinance, which, incidentally, would cost less than the fire engine. Surely the home owner is entitled to this form of protection against loss of property value, especially as there is no form of insurance that covers this sort of risk."

"The stabilizing of real estate values by means of zoning has a definite bearing on housing. The investor in mortgages will more readily invest if he knows that property values will not be destroyed by misplaced neighbors. There will be fewer vacancies among rented properties. It will be easier to sell a home in a definitely established residence neighborhood. New York city mortgage authorities say that investors suffer fewer losses in cities protected by zoning ordinances."

Dr. Donald defined "zoning" as determining the character and intensity of the use to which various districts of a city are to be put. He declared that the average zoning ordinance restricted certain districts for the building of residences and excluded from these areas all factories, stores and other buildings which would impair the value of the residences. He also pointed out that the plan calls for commercial and industrial districts with limitations which protect the enterprises restricted to their bounds.

The speaker showed how the zoning ordinance regulates the height of structures in the various districts. "One consequence of zoning is that it makes it possible for citizens to own their homes in safety," Dr. Donald continued. "If more may be borrowed on a house and lot, this makes it easier to make the original purchase and it makes the purchase safer. In more than one city visited, it has been observed that skilled workmen and executives of industrial plants continue to rent or live in rooms because there is no section of the city in which they may safely buy and build."

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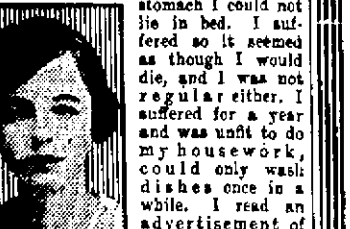
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## PAIN NOW

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Fewer loans are called at the end of the mortgage term. It is safe to loan up to a close margin on a house and lot where a zoning law applies."

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## ITALIAN TAG DAY

A tag day will be conducted in this city Saturday by the local Italian-speaking people for the relief of their fellow countrymen in Italy. They have suffered immensely from recent earthquakes. The committee in charge of the affair is headed by Frank Zabbo as chairman, who expects that at least 50 men and women will endeavor to raise funds through public subscriptions. Mayor Thompson has given the committee permission to conduct the tag day.

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Amoskeag Romper Cloth, in remnants, plain check or stripe patterns, light and dark colors. 59¢ value, at 35¢

Cretone—Heavy grade and handsome patterns, all colors, a yard wide. 89¢ value, at 48¢ Yard

Yard Wide Percale—Light, medium and dark colors, neat patterns, suitable for aprons or house dresses. 39¢ value, at 25¢

Gingham—32 inches wide, fine weave and mostly plaid patterns, remnants. 59¢ value, at 35¢

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Crochet Bed Spreads of extra large size, all white, several patterns, not seconds. \$5.00 value, at \$3.89

Bed Blankets for double beds, heavy and warm, white, gray and tan with borders of pink or blue. \$4.50 value, at \$3.29

Jersey Union Suits for women, lace trimmed, regular and extra large sizes. 59¢ value, at 35¢ Each

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## DEMOCRATS MEET

Woodbury Welcomes Women in Address at N. H. State Convention

CONCORD, N. H., Sept. 29.—Gordon Woodbury of Bedford, candidate for congress, in addressing as president, the democratic state convention here, today, began by welcoming the women voters and said that, while the party congratulated the women upon receiving the right of suffrage he congratulated the men more, because of the good influence women would be sure to exert in politics. He called up with pride the striking fact that it was the democratic state of Tennessee

that finally made certain ratification of the 19th amendment. Mr. Woodbury pointed to the record of nearly eight years, with a triumphant war fought in the interim, as proof of democratic capacity in affairs of government and lauded President Wilson as an "inspired hero—greatest of men since Washington and Lincoln." He reviewed the record of President Wilson's administration and urged the League of Nations, conceived and made possible by President Wilson, who in this rose to "greater heights of vision and leadership than even he had previously attained."

## FREE SERVICE SCHOOL

Seventy-Two Men Register for Courses in Knights of Columbus School—Registration Open to Everybody  
Registration for the Knights of Columbus Free Service school opened last evening in room 27 of the Associate building and before the books were closed for the evening 72 men, most of them world war veterans, had been enrolled to take up various courses.

The registration on the opening evening was unexpectedly large. It will continue every evening for the rest of the week from 7:30 to 9:30. An effort will be made to have as many men as possible enroll in each course so that there will be sufficient number to warrant opening classes. The committee, of course, will be unable to open classes for which only a few men are registered. Grand Knight George P. Briggan and Dennis Sullivan were in charge of the registration last evening and were kept busy from 7:30 until 10 o'clock. The fact is emphasized that the K. of C. school is open to everybody regardless of race, creed or color. It isn't necessary for a man to register merely because he calls for information, which is gladly furnished to all interested.

## BREAK IN RANKS OF LYNN UNIONS

LYNN, Sept. 29.—A break in the ranks of the shoemakers' unions which have refused to enter a proposed agreement with the manufacturers was announced today and Eugene A. Maynard, general agent of the Cutters' local union, expressed the belief that all the unions would join in the plan at the meeting Friday night.

The break came in the action of the Lasting Machine Operators' union in instructing its delegates to the Friday night meeting to vote in favor of ratification. The pact proposed provides for continuing the industry here for the next 19 months on present wage and working conditions, while unions objecting to its acceptance have demanded that wage advances be made now or next May.

The local unions of lasters, McKay stitchers, packing room employees and shop mitters, which are on record as opposing the plan, have called special meetings for tonight to consider what instructions they shall give their delegates to the joint meeting of Friday night.

The industry here has been stagnant for several days as a result of the uncertainty over the conditions under which it is to be operated, manufacturers refusing to start new runs of shoes while the issue is in doubt.

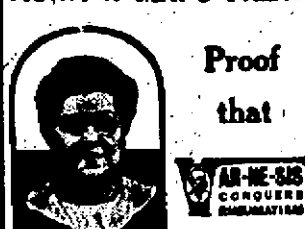
## COAL DEALERS AND HANDLERS CONFER

A conference between the local coal dealers and coal handlers was held last evening at the Richardson hotel in connection with the recent demand of the handlers for an increase in wages of 10 per cent. Both sides were well represented and at the close of the meeting it was decided that both parties would investigate conditions in live cities and later report together the result of their investigations. The cities chosen were Worcester, Brockton, Lawrence, Haverhill and Manchester, N. H.

Representing the coal handlers at the conference was a wage committee headed by Secretary Telephone Cardinal, while the firms represented were

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## Laws Cannot be Suspended

Continued

thorities themselves make a change. Commissioner John F. Salmon of the department of water works and fire protection came out flatly today with a statement that he would vote to abolish or suspend the civil service as it applied to laborers in his department if he were given the opportunity. Commissioner Dennis A. Murphy of the street department said practically the same thing last Friday evening at the charter commission hearing; Commissioner George E. Marchand has had more or less difficulty in his department of public property with the working out of the civil service rules, while Mayor Perry D. Thompson has not been wholly exempt from the same difficulties with reference to his police women, health department nurses and health yard laborers. Commissioner James E. Donnelly has no occasion to employ laborers in the department of finance, so that the situation does not reach him as closely as other members of the council.

In discussing the matter this morning Commissioner Salmon said: "The civil service laws, as I told the charter commission last evening, have been a detriment rather than of assistance to me in the administration of the affairs of the water department. I can't go ahead and employ the men whom I think best fitted for particular kinds of work, men that I know are good."

"When you are given a few names by the civil service people and are told that you must choose from those and those alone, there's no certainty that you are going to get a good man. I had an idea that the city council had the right to suspend the operation of the rules for a short period, if it saw fit, but evidently it hasn't. If it had, I should certainly vote to suspend them until various matters could be straightened out satisfactorily."

Within the past year the situation seems to have become more aggravated than ever. Hardly a week passes that the civil service people do not find that one or more city employees are being illegally employed and order their pay stopped. The bulk of Commissioner Murphy's daily mail is very frequently made up of registered letters from the civil service commission, notifying him that he must suspend laborers in his department. The same situation holds true to a lesser degree in the mayor's and Commissioner Marchand's departments.

And yet the government is powerless

to alter the situation as far as legislation goes. The act was accepted six years ago and cannot be changed now. Col. Carmichael maintains that the cause be lived up to, with the existing laws, but the city council members continue unabated.

## SEN. HARDING ASSAILS ONE-MAN GOVERNMENT

ASHLAND, Ky., Sept. 29.—A federal government conducted under the coordinated powers of the constitution and always taking the whole American people into its confidence, was pictured by Senator Harding here today as the ideal toward which his party would work, if returned to power.

Assailing "one-man government" he also spoke for greater care that federal appropriations be made for the good of the whole nation rather than to win local favor. "Pork barrel" river and harbor legislation, he condemned, particularly, and made a plea for an inland waterway policy that would make of the country's rivers a valuable communication system in co-ordination with the railways.

"I very much wish the people to know my conception of the high place for which the republican party has proposed my name," he said. "I cannot express myself too strongly against one-man government with an untrammelled, centralized power. I am against the spirit of encroachment or assumption which may lead one of the greatest departments of our government under the constitution to invade or assume the functions of another. Washington warned against it in his farewell address."

"Even though it is very old-fashioned"

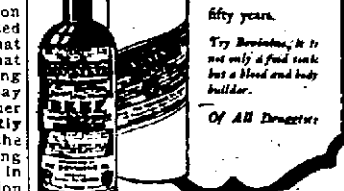


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ed to believe in Washington. I do believe in the caution he uttered. Our government must express the will of the people, not the will of the chief executive.

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"When I am elected, there is going to be that regard and respect for congress which the constitution contemplates and congress must, in turn, respect the rights and obligations of the executive. But I mean to do more than co-ordinate and co-operate with congress. I am going to consult and converse with the men and women of America. I would rather trust the great under current of American thought and conviction than follow the greatest propagandist program ever inaugurated."

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## HOUSE OF CORRECTION

## Two Men Sentenced in Police Court—Autoist Arraigned and Fined

Antonio Tigero of Cady street was found guilty in police court today on a complaint charging indecent conduct and ordered to serve five months in the house of correction, from which sentence he appealed. He was ordered under bonds of \$100 for the superior court. Four women were produced by the government as witnesses against the defendant. One of them, a mother of a young school girl, testified that Tigero had threatened to assault her daughter.

## Robbed Stranger

Louis Basikos, charged with larceny of \$25 and with impersonating an officer of the city of Lowell, was ordered to serve three months in the

house of correction; two on the larceny charge and one on the impersonation charge. The police claim that Basikos met a stranger in a restaurant showed him a police badge and said he was an officer. Defendant took the stranger to his room and provided lodging for him for the night. Basikos committed the larceny when the stranger was sleeping.

## Violation of Liquor Laws

## Continued

An appeal was entered. The jail sentence was imposed mainly because of evidence brought out by the prosecution which showed that Vlahos had

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been arrested before for illegal sale and ordered to pay a fine of \$75. Officer Spillane testified that he bought Jamaica ginger and tonic in Vlahos store in Fletcher street and that when the officers later searched the store they found 17 bottles of Jamaica ginger in a safe. Defendant said that he kept it in a safe so that his clerks would not sell it to everybody and to keep them from drinking it.

Edward N. Sookkian, a First street storekeeper, was ordered to pay a fine of \$100 for the illegal sale of intoxicating liquor, but through his counsel entered an appeal and was ordered under \$100 bonds for trial in superior court. Officers Clark, Winn and Conway, said they visited his store about 4 o'clock on the afternoon of Sept. 19. Officer Conway was instructed to enter the store and ask for a bottle of Jamaica ginger and tonic to mix for drink, which he said he did after asking for "moonshine." Sookkian and a witness in the store at the time testified that Officer Conway entered the

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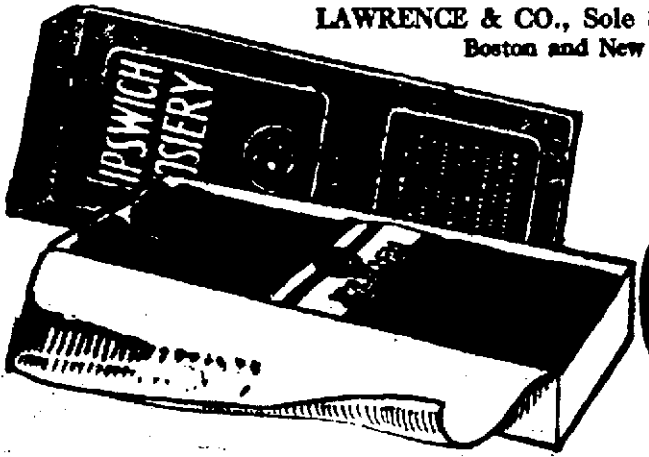
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store and asked for Jamaica ginger, saying that he was very sick, and asked for the tonic for his "kid." All three officers denied this and the court decided that inasmuch as the officer mentioned "moonshine" first, the defendant must have known that he was selling the goods for beverage purposes.

Arakel Arakelian, said to be the owner of a small store in John street, and Charles Garabadian, a clerk in the same store, pleaded not guilty to illegal keeping and illegal sale of intoxicating liquor respectively. It was in this case that the counsel for the defense produced a city hall record to show that Arakelian was not the owner of the store in question and that the charge of illegal keeping could not be preferred against him. Consequently he was discharged. Garabadian, the clerk, was ordered to pay a fine of \$100. Officer Paul Spillane testified that he entered the store on the evening of Sept. 21 and asked for Jamaica ginger and tonic to mix and that Garabadian sold it to him. Officer Spillane then notified Officers Winn and Clark and all three searched the store and found 114 bottles of Jamaica ginger and a two quart bottle partly filled with moonshine.

Charles Stahl, owner of a store on Crosby street, pleaded not guilty to illegal sale of intoxicating liquor on September 25, but was found guilty and ordered to pay a fine of \$100. He entered an appeal and was ordered under \$300 for the superior court. He was not represented by counsel, but conducted his own defense. The officers testified that Officer Spillane bought Jamaica ginger and tonic in the store and that when they searched it later they found more. Defendant claimed that Spillane entered his store with hat and coat off, seemingly excited and asked for Jamaica ginger for

a friend who was sick. The officers denied this. When defendant put his wife on the stand to testify, the court mentioned that the stories of husband and wife did not coincide.

Arthur J. Melavler, charged with illegal selling was ordered to pay a fine of \$100. He is the proprietor of a store in Woburn street, South Lowell. Officer Spillane testified that he bought Jamaica ginger and tonic there on September 21. He also told the court that he mentioned "jakey" before he paid for the purchase. Officers Clark and Winn later searched the store and found 12 bottles.

Michael Paraskeropoulos, charged with illegal sale, pleaded guilty and was fined \$100. He works in a store in Church street and sold Jamaica ginger and tonic to Officer Spillane for 75 cents.

George Perry, alias, and Louis Pennoakes, alias, both charged with illegal sale on Sept. 24, were granted continuances to obtain counsel until Oct. 4.

Francis J. Boyle, charged with illegal sale of liquor, was again put over for trial on Oct. 5.

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## Odd Fellows Parade in Hub

## Continued

was the closing feature of the annual communication of the Sovereign Grand Lodge of the order, the members of which reviewed the hosts who have multiplied from the small band formed in this city a century ago.

The marching thousands, with a hundred blaring bands, and several scores of floats symbolizing events in the history of Odd Fellowship, of the city or the nation, were reviewed four times. Governor Coolidge and his staff held post at the state house and acknowledged the greeting of Grand Marshal William H. Oakes as the marchers reached the top of Beacon Hill. Mayor Peters, himself a member of the order, reviewed the marching members at city hall and, after passing under review of the sovereign grand lodge, the marchers were given a final inspection by Grand Marshal Oakes and W. C. Guernsey of Ringhamton, N. Y., the latter commander-in-chief of the Patriarchs Militant section.

Starting early in the afternoon, it was estimated that it would be almost sundown before the last of the marchers fell out of parade formation. Four hours was the time estimated for the parade to pass a given point.

Special trains bringing the Odd Fellows to the city came from points in New England this morning and most regular trains carried extra cars.

## CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

The chamber of commerce has arranged for placing with all the leading printers of the city of an electrotype block that may be used without expense by business men in having their addresses printed on their correspondence envelopes. Each block

contains a space into which the name and address of each particular firm or individual may be mortised and beneath it are the words "Lowell, Mass. The City of Diversified Industries." A meeting of the Lowell Retail Drugists' association was held at the chamber's rooms today.



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## SCHOOL BOARD HEARS PROTEST

Parents of Pupils Object to Closing of Agawam Street School

School Board Chairman Opposed to Transfer of Pupils

Hearing Held

"I am human first and school official after, and if I were you I would not send my children to the Carter street school," declared Chairman Thomas B. Delaney of the school board to the parents who remonstrated last evening against the transfer of the Agawam street school pupils to the Carter street school and closing of the Agawam street school. Continuing, Mr. Delaney said, "I was always opposed to the transfer because I believe children should not be forced to go through such dangerous streets as Moore and Gorham. There is no use in hiding it, we all know what we are going to do, we are going to sustain the superintendent and we may as well come out in the open. The superintendent knew he would be sustained by the board or he would not have made the transfer."

About fifty men and women from the Agawam street district appeared before the board as remonstrators against the closing of what they termed the school, the delegation being headed by Rev. Mr. Singleton of the Moore Street Methodist church, and Rev. Mr. Nordgren of the Swedish church. The meeting had been called for 8 o'clock, but owing to the absence of Superintendent Molloy, who was detained at the high school, the members did not convene until 9 o'clock. Superintendent Molloy read a communication from residents of the Agawam street district protesting against the transfer of the Agawam street school to the Carter street school and closing of the Agawam street school. He stated that the superintendent of schools does not close schools, but that the power of transferring the children from one school to the other, he said, for a number of years the school had been dwindling so that during the last two years the total attendance has been about 40.25 in the primary grades and 10.25 in the kindergarten. There are three grades together in one room, which means that the school is being maintained on the basis of a little over 50 children in a rural district, a condition not consistent with the best interests of the school system of the city. He said that similar transfers being made from the New Moody street and the Billings street schools, this action having been taken for the best interest of the children. Relative to the Agawam street school, Mr. Molloy said that the children in the Carter street school from the Agawam street district are fine and a walk of that kind, he declared, would improve the health of the little ones. Discussing the danger clauses brought out in the protest, Mr. Molloy said that the school system of the city was more careful than other ones in crossing streets and railroad tracks, but to eliminate all danger he would recommend that some grammar school pupils be allowed to go about three-eighths of a mile to the Carter street school. The saving in closing the school is not of the utmost importance, he said, although it cuts some figure.

Questioned by Mr. Pearson, Mr. Molloy said there are five occupied rooms in the Carter street school and two unoccupied. Rev. Mr. Singleton, appearing for the remonstrants, told of the danger in crossing the railroad tracks, when children would take a short cut to reach the school. He said he would not favor placing the children in the hands of grammar school pupils, who, according to Super. Molloy, are not as careful as the younger ones. In closing he requested the board to reconsider its action. Mrs. Parker said she thinks parents should have something to say about the education of their children. "I think," she said, "parents are justified in asking the continuation of the Agawam street school. If you will drop your automobile on a cold winter day, take a little out by the hand and walk the distance from the Carter street school to the Agawam street district you will find it longer walking than riding in an automobile."

Rev. Mr. Nordgren spoke at length on the matter protesting against the transfer of the children and concluded by saying that the remonstrants did not ask a favor but they asked what is right. John McLean said there is no safety in sending the children to the Carter street school. Mrs. Elizabeth Mountain wanted to know if she could not send her children to the Agawam street school tomorrow as long as it is not officially closed. She said everything in this world is sen-

sational and the world war was won on sentiment and it is sentiment that is forcing the parents to protest against the closing of the school. She said the life of a child is in danger from the minute he is born up to the time he has passed his seventh year and in her opinion the health of children under seven years who are forced to walk the distance to the Carter street school is constantly in danger. Several others also spoke against the action of the superintendent.

A question was raised as to the superintendent's authority to close the school but the chairman informed the petitioners that the superintendent acted under the instructions and it was up to the committee to approve or disapprove the closing of the Agawam street school. Before the hearing was brought to a close William D. Rigby asked to be heard on a matter pertaining to the Pawtucket school and his request was granted.

Mr. Rigby called attention to the fact that his daughter, 13 years of age, was transferred from the Pawtucket school to the Bartlett school in order to attend the junior high school and he referred to the distance the child has to walk four times a day. He said in his opinion a junior high school should be established at the Pawtucket school, where he said there is ample room, or again at the New Moody street school, which was recently closed. He declared himself emphatically opposed to the closing of any school. At this point he was informed that the matter of the Pawtucket school would be taken up at a hearing to be held next Tuesday evening.

Coming back to the Agawam street school matter, Mr. Markham stated that the advantage gained by the closing of the school does not overshadow the hardships brought about by the transfer. He assured the remonstrants that they would receive all the consideration possible.

The hearing was brought to a close at 10:30 o'clock and was followed by a discussion of the installation of shower baths in the addition to the Moore school and it was voted to request the commissioner of public buildings to make changes and additions in two class rooms for the installation of the shower baths.

## SUN BREVITIES

Best printing, Tobin's Associate bldg. Fire and liability insurance. Daniel J. O'Brien, Wyman's Exchange.

William C. Reidy of this city is enjoying his vacation taking in the sights of New York and Philadelphia. Congressman John Jacob Rogers addressed brother members of the Lowell Rotary club at their weekly meeting yesterday at the Colonial on the subject of taxation. More than 35 members were present and the usual enjoyable entertainment features were carried out.

Thursday and Friday evenings will be the final opportunities for young men and women to register for classes at the evening high school. Last evening, despite the rain, there was a heavy enrollment. Sessions open next Monday evening.

The election commissioners registered 132 women and two men at the special session held last evening at the Lyon street school. This evening a special session will be held at the lighting station at Fletcher and Rock streets from 7 to 9 o'clock.

Leo F. Ennes of 81 Hampshire street and James W. Flood, 115 Bartlett street, the latter a Cornell medal scholar of the Lowell high school, are among the members of the entering class at Harvard university this year.

William Thomas Rogers, 29 Butler avenue, Lowell, has been transferred from the receiving ship at New York to the U.S.S. Kansas. This information has been mailed to relatives and friends from the office of the U.S. Navy, commanding, receiving ship, at New York.

Miss Emily S. Knapp, daughter of Charles L. Knapp of 35 Fort Hill avenue, has entered Mount Holyoke college, South Hadley, Mass., when opened Friday, the 24th, with an enrollment of 800. Miss Knapp is a graduate of the Lowell high school. Miss Ethelred A. Willmott of 223 Lamont road, this city, and Miss Dorothy P. Hall of Chelmsford are members of the senior class at Mount Holyoke, and Miss Doris L. Howard of 4 Barton avenue and Miss Irene L. Kirkby of 610 Westford street, this city, are juniors.

**MACSWINEY HAS A VERY BAD NIGHT**  
LONDON, Sept. 29.—Terence MacSwiney, lord mayor of Cork, had a very bad night at Brixton prison and was looking very drawn this morning, said a bulletin issued by the Irish Self-Determination league. He was very weak, the bulletin declared, but otherwise there was little change in his condition.

In his report to the home office, the physician at Brixton prison stated MacSwiney had a restless night, and was in bright spirits this morning.

"For some days," said an official, "the change from day to night has been almost imperceptible, but his emaciated face and weakening voice tell the tale of gradual deterioration."

**BROTHERHOOD CHIEF DEAD**  
ST. LOUIS, Sept. 29.—Michael W. Cadle, assistant grand chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, died at his home here last night. He was 62 years of age, and had held office in the brotherhood since 1901.

## DEATHS

**MCKENZIE**—Mrs. Angeline McKenzie died last night at the home of her son, Edward McKenzie, 159 Coburn street, New York City. She was 70 years of age and was a native of New York City. She was the widow of John McKenzie, who died in 1914. She was the mother of four children, three sons and one daughter. She was a member of the St. Patrick's church.

**DUFFY**—The funeral of Alice Duffy took place yesterday afternoon from the home of her parents, John and Margaret Duffy, 159 Coburn street. There were many beautiful flowers. The bearers were playmates of deceased Alice and were in charge of Undertaker William A. Mack.

**MCCREGGON**—Mrs. Margaret P. McCreggon, aged 68 years, 1 month and 18 days, died last Sunday in West Hartford, Conn. She was the widow of John McCreggon, who died in 1914. She was the mother of four children, three sons and one daughter. She was a member of the St. Patrick's church.

**DUNPHY**—The funeral of Mrs. Ann Dunphy took place yesterday afternoon from the home of her parents, James F. O'Donnell and Sons. The bearers were John and Frank Redding, Alfred Cooney and James Holland. Burial took place in St. Patrick's cemetery.

**PERRON**—Lucille, aged 3 months and 11 days, infant daughter of Pierre and Lucille Perron, died last morning at the home of her parents, 159 Coburn street. Burial took place at 3 o'clock this afternoon in St. Joseph's cemetery under the direction of Undertaker Joseph Albert.

**YEATS**—Joseph, aged one day, infant son of Rudolph and Marie Yeats, died this morning at the home of his parents, 24 White street. Burial took place at 10 o'clock this afternoon in St. Joseph's cemetery under the direction of Undertakers Amadeo Archambault & Sons.

**COX**—Mrs. Mary J. (Redmond) Cox died this morning at her home, 159 Coburn street, after an illness of 12 days duration. In her suffering she showed a noble Christian fortitude, combined with much resignation to the Divine will. She is survived by her husband, William H. Cox; two sisters, Mrs. Margaret Sherlock of Brooklyn and Mrs. Nellie Hennessey of New York City; three brothers, James, John and Edward of Canton, O.

**FAVREAU**—Michel Favreau, a resident of Quincy, died this morning at the home of his sister, Mrs. Sophie Layole, 173 A street, where he had been visiting for some time. Shortly after his arrival in this city, Mr. Favreau was taken ill and died. He was 50 years of age, and was a native of France. He was the father of three sons and one daughter. He was a member of the St. Patrick's church.

**FUNERALS**  
CLEVELAND—The funeral services of Frank Cox were held yesterday afternoon at his home, 159 Coburn street, and were largely attended by relatives and friends, including a large number of the St. Patrick's church. The services were conducted by Rev. James M. Craig, chaplain. Burial took place in St. Patrick's cemetery.

**MATRIMONIAL**  
A pretty marriage took place this morning at a nuptial mass celebrated at 9 o'clock at St. Anne's church. Lawrence, when Mr. Hector Laplante, an employe of the Boston & Maine car shops in Billerica, a veteran of the world war and resident of this city and Miss Alice Laforrest of Lawrence, were united in the bonds of matrimony, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Fr. Tremblay. During the mass appropriate hymns were sung by the choir, under the direction of Mr. Joseph Laplante. The bride was attended by her cousin, Mr. J. Boucher, while the groom's witness was his father, Mr. Benjamin Laplante of this city. At the close of the ceremony the bridal party repaired to the home of the groom's parents, 40 Pawtucket street, where a wedding breakfast was served. Mr. and Mrs. Laplante, who were the recipients of numerous wedding gifts, left at noon on a wedding trip to New York, Washington and Carlisle, Penn., and upon their return in two weeks they will make their home at 95 Pawtucket street.

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**REQUIEM MASSES**  
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## BELFAST RIOT VICTIMS BURIED

Large Turnout of Volunteers in Defiance of Order Issued by Government

Sinn Feiners Will Regard Arming of Unionists as a Declaration of War

BELFAST, Sept. 29.—Three victims of the week-end rioting, John Gainer, Edward Troddens and John McFadden, were buried yesterday, and, in spite of the recent order prohibiting the marching of members of proclaimed political organizations, there was a large turnout of volunteers. Five hundred volunteers followed the coffins of Gainer and Troddens, but none were in the procession which escorted the body of McFadden to the cemetery. Relatives of McFadden deny that he was a Sinn Feiner.

The funerals started from the houses of the slain men in different parts of the Falls road district and later merged, forming one long cortege, which slowly moved between crowds of silent and uncovered spectators.

Tension continues at high pitch and the military authorities took every precaution to prevent a fresh outbreak during the funerals. Squads of soldiers were stationed along the route and an armored car passed up and down the line of march.

The coffins of Gainer and Troddens were draped with republican flags which the troops allowed to remain until the procession reached the cemetery where the cortege was stopped and the removal of the flags was ordered. Care also was taken by the military to prevent volunteers from firing a salute at the graves.

Saloons were closed during the funerals upon orders from the Irish republican army. Leaders of both sides said they did not expect any more rioting, but Sinn Feiners asserted that if the government carried out proposals for the arming of Unionists, their action would be taken as a declaration of war and a Sinn Fein rising would immediately follow.

Fred Blair, who was wounded during the rioting last night, died today. The lord mayor has informed the promoters of the Irish atrocities commission that conditions in Belfast preclude his acceptance of the commission's invitation to go to Dublin and give testimony.

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## AMERICAN LEGION TO ELECT OFFICERS TODAY

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Sept. 29.—With election of officers on the program of the American Legion convention today the race for national commander seemed to have resolved itself into a triangular competition between F. W. Galbraith, Jr., of Cincinnati; Hanford MacNider of Mason City, Ia., and J. F. J. Herbert of Worcester, Mass.

There was talk of dark horses, however. Harry S. Berry of Gallatin, Tenn., was mentioned in this connection. G. Edward Buxton of Rhode Island, who had been mentioned, said it was impossible for him to accept the nomination.

Reports of the committees on constitutional amendments and Americanization were expected to precipitate spirited debate. The committee on constitutional amendments agreed to recommend that no change be made in the political clause of the constitution.

Majority and minority reports on the advisability of making an international report on the political clause were prepared. The majority report urged that the sending of questionnaires to political candidates on their position with regard to matters affecting the legion be permitted. The minority recommended that the clause stand without interpretation.

Recommendations for the deportation of aliens who are residing in this country a reasonable length of time should first be declared their desire to become citizens, were expected to be made in the report of the Americanization committee. It was said that the report would deal with "race, color and creed."

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Sept. 29.—The convention of the American Legion yesterday underwent a barrage of resolutions and committee reports, and when adjournment was taken last evening, after a nine-hour session, there were several committees to be heard, reports of which will be brought up today.

The stand of the legion in regard to organized labor was mentioned in the report of the committee on resolutions. However, a minority report was submitted which recommended that the American Legion reiterate its well known position, that it has no participation in controversies between capital and labor. The American Legion is not opposed to organized labor, even if it conduces itself as we believe it normally does, in conformity with law and order.

However, a substitution for the minority report was presented by California and adopted by the convention, stating that this convention endorses the statement issued by the national commander, Franklin D. Oiler, and accepts that statement as the legion's interpretation of its position in relations to organized labor. The attitude of the national commander has been that of "strict neutrality" in matters having to do with organized labor. This "strict neutrality" is what all factions wanted, the bone of contention being as to whether or not it should be read into the record.

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## Cut in St. Ry. Fares

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street near the stairs coming from the railroad station platform, just as a trainload of workmen from the Billerica shops was being unloaded. Ordinarily, in the old days of more reasonable fares, a large part of these men would have taken the street cars. Of those who ascended the stairs to Chelmsford street scarcely a man boarded the cars.

**The Best Walked**  
"I arrived in Lowell from Boston a few days ago. There were 16 people in a group that walked out to the Middlesex street end of the station. A number of these were apparently traveling men and potential passengers of the street railway. Two members of the party boarded cars; the rest walked."

The road is now running its cars on a certain overhead charges that must be met in order to continue in business as a public utility. It must earn a reasonable return for its security holders. It must also make enough money to allow for depreciation charges, the cost of maintenance, the expense of furnishing motive power and costs of operation.

The cost of running a car with a conductor and motorman is very much the same per mile whether four or 14 passengers are carried. The only extra cost, which probably is very slight, for carrying the larger instead of the lesser number of patrons is for the furnishing of motive power. If the profit from transporting passengers is one-quarter of a cent, for instance, per rider, it is plain that the net income from four passengers will be one cent and from 14 passengers seven cents, and it will not have cost anything more to have carried the 14 riders than it would have cost to haul four.

**Line of Least Resistance**  
"The street railway company trustees have announced that they will cut the fares to the lowest possible point and jump at the conclusion that the only, or at least the simplest, way to increase revenues to meet necessary expenditures was to jump fares. First we had one fare jump and then another and the conditions do not seem to have improved greatly. If, indeed, they have not become worse. Business men, under similar conditions, would have cut their prices as a means of getting people to buy the merchandise they had to offer. The Amoskeag mills found itself up against the proposition that orders were falling off for its goods."

All of the overhead charges for running the mills were going on just the same. What did they do—jack up the prices to increase revenues? No; they announced a 33 per cent reduction. I believe that the time has come for the street railway company to consider whether or not it should provide the fare raises that affect thickly settled sections of the cities have not proved ineffective, and if it would not be good policy to about face and adopt a policy of attempting to increase income by offering attractions for people to ride in much larger numbers. The shape of lower fares and better service."

It was pointed out at the chambers today that under the statute creating the board of public trustees, the city of Lowell may contribute yearly toward the cost of operating the Eastern Massachusetts street railway \$2 per \$1000 of assessed valuation, or approximately \$250,000 a year.

It was also pointed out today that tomorrow's visit to Lowell of the trustees is the first that they have made as a body for the consideration of public grievances, and that this may mean that the agitation for better service and lower fares has stirred the board up to the point where it may consider a wisdom of radical action to remedy the troubled situation.

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## PLOT TO KILL KING GEORGE

Rumors of Widespread Conspiracies Against Lives and Property in Britain

London Residents Alarmed Over Rumors Following Raids in Ireland

LONDON, Sept. 29.—Rumors of widespread plots, which have ranged from conspiracies to assassinate King George to blowing up public buildings, have been current in London during the past few days. These reports have been caused by fear that the lives of public men in Great Britain might be jeopardized, should any of the Irish hunger strikers die, particularly now that the "black and tan" police have made reprisals in several Irish towns.

Police authorities have investigated some of the more plausible stories and newspapers have run down many more, and always with the same negative result. Some of the more timid profess to see the frustration of a plot in the arrest of a man giving an Irish name who had in his room four service rifles and a quantity of Irish Self-Determination League literature. He is awaiting trial on a charge of unlawful possession of firearms.

**CITY OF LOWELL**

**NOTICE TO MEN AND WOMEN VOTERS**

All persons claiming the right to vote at the coming state election, and desiring to be registered as voters, are hereby notified to appear before the election commissioners to present evidence of their qualifications at sessions to be held as follows, to wit: Lyon Street school, 7 to 9 p. m., Sept. 28, for wards 4 and 5. Lighting station, Fletcher and Willie streets, 7 to 9 p. m., Sept. 29, for wards 2 and 7. Greenhalge school, 7 to 9 p. m., Sept. 30, for ward 6. Polling booth, First street, 7 to 9 p. m., Oct. 1, for ward 1.

Applicants must bring their tax bills and naturalized persons their final papers. Women already registered do not have to re-register. Election Commissioners: HUGH C. MCSKERR, Chairman, FRED HARRISON, JOSEPH H. MAGUIRE, J. OMER ALLARD, Clerk. September 22, 1920.

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